WEATHER
Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

The La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press

HOME EDITION

Full Leased Wire News Report of The Associated Press

Member of the Audit Bureau of Circulation

VOLUME XIX, NUMBER 201 — LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN, MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1923 — TWELVE PAGES — PRICE THREE CENTS

NUN DIES IN FIRE WHICH GUTS ST. ROSE CONVENT

LAWRENCE HOLDS INSURGENTS WON'T LINE UP DEMOCRATS

La Follette Bloc in Congress Not to Find Obstruction Smooth Sailing

DEMOCRATS NOT IN FAVOR OF THEIR RADICAL PLANS

Rumored La Follette is too Ill to Take Big Part

By DAVID LAWRENCE
(Copyright 1923, by the C. P. A.)

WASHINGTON — Thirteen months ago the American people elected a new congress. Next week the new membership takes office. If the mood and desire of the electorate is today the same as it was thirteen months ago, the mandate may be one thing. If conditions have changed it must be another.

Insurgency has broken out in the majority party. The insurgents have laid down a series of demands which they think represents the will of the people, the regulars are wondering whether the country would approve of a deadlock in the organization of congress, an obstruction at the very start of the session. For the regulars are not in a position to concede to the insurgents what they want. The insurgents want representation on important committees so that they can frame legislation in line with their own extreme views. The insurgents are a number more than twenty but they hold the balance of power because the republican majority over the democrats is slender and a coalition of insurgent republicans and all the democrats would overthrow regular rule.

Democrats Wary

Such a coalition is unlikely, however, for the reason that the democratic party itself cannot afford to subscribe to the insurgents' program, the plank of which is being interpreted by the regulars as meaning a reversion of tax reduction. On the amendment made by the insurgents, there is a plan for tax reduction on smaller incomes but no provision for raising the revenue which would be secured from the lower incomes. The present surtax rate of fifty per cent is not producing the needed revenue because wealthy people have switched the investment program in accordance of the facts as presented by the treasury department.

The insurgents want to upset the seniority rule by which men who have been in service before in congress are promoted to the regular committee places. Unquestionably the insurgents will get some concessions and their maneuvers of the moment are calculated to get them something, but if their program is carried to the extremity of holding up the organization of the house and delaying the delivery of the president's first message, they will find a determined group of republican leaders ready to carry the fight on if it takes all the month of December.

Longworth Conciliation

The predictions being generally made were that the insurgents would go to extremes but no one can tell what will develop between now and Friday afternoon when the formal task of reorganization begins. Representative Nicholas Longworth, who stated to be majority leader of the house, told this correspondent he would make every effort to meet the insurgents in a way but that he could not see how any special arrangements could be made to treat the set of republicans any differently

(Continued on page six)

WEATHER REPORT

For La Crosse and vicinity—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; not possibly much change in temperature this afternoon; colder and much colder in east portion.

For Minnesota—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

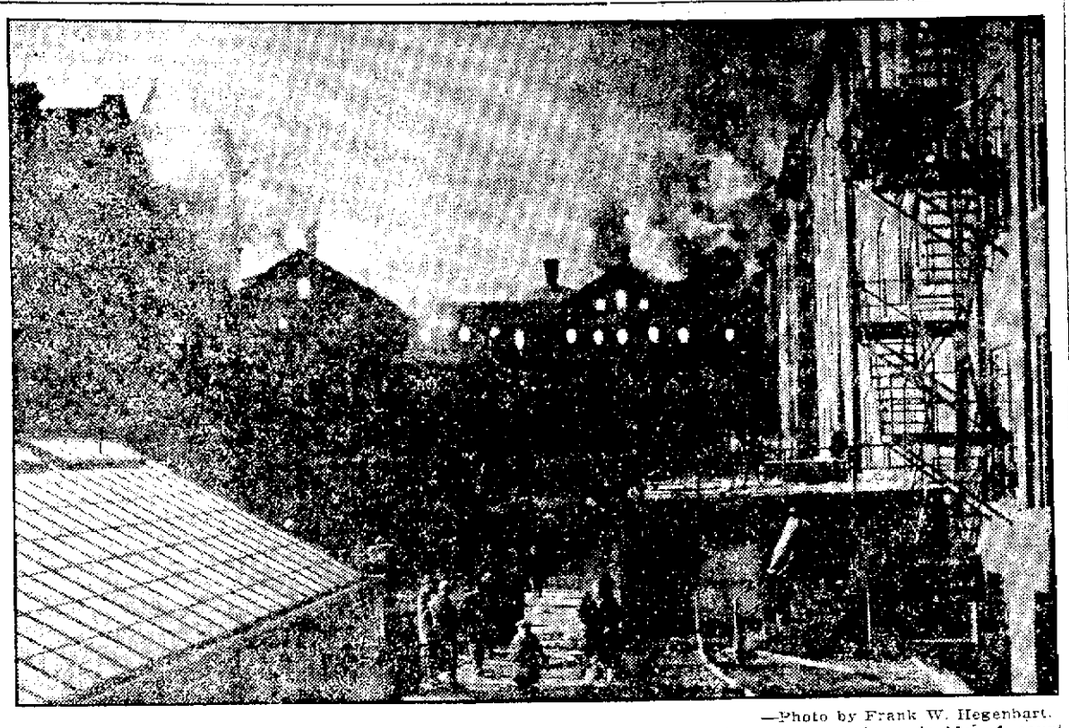
TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

8 a. m.	24	10 a. m.	31
9 a. m.	24	11 a. m.	39
10 a. m.	24	12 m.	39
11 a. m.	27	1 p. m.	42

NATION-WIDE RECORD

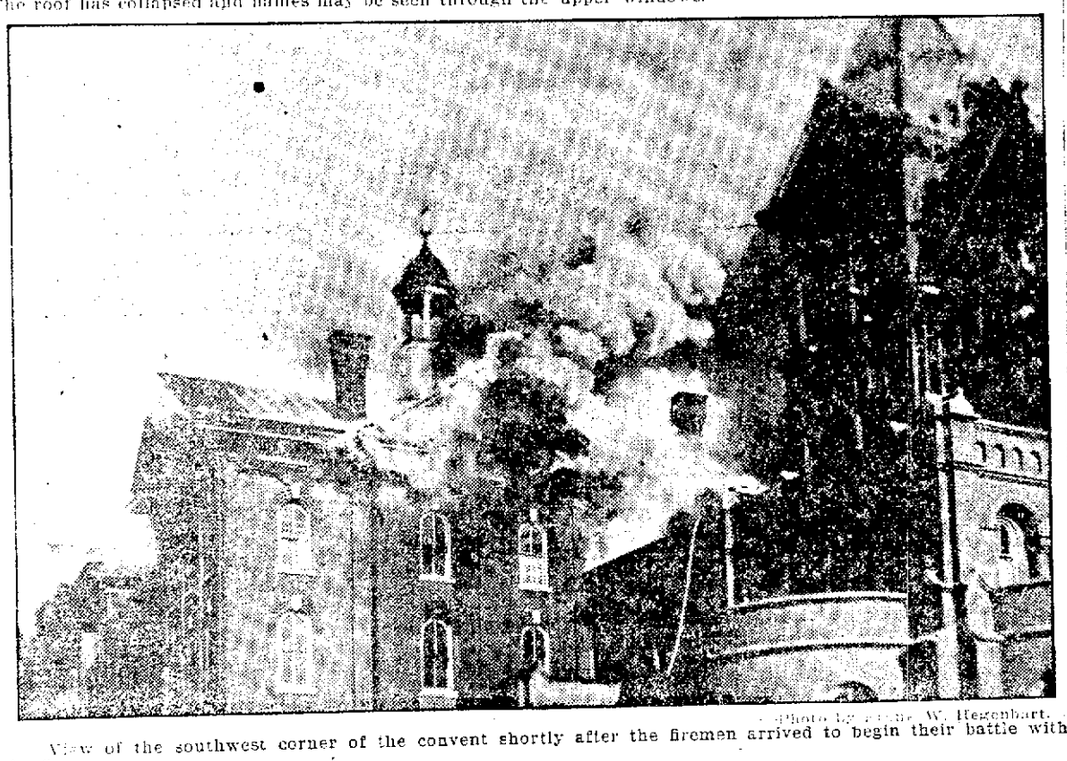
	Low Yesterday's	Last night	High Yesterday's	Last night
Bismarck	24	16		
Chicago	32	32		
Denver	22	26		
Dubuque	26	26		
Helena	24	18		
Jacksonville	64	68		
Kansas City	34	36	62	
La Crosse	24	26		
Madison	26	26		
Minneapolis	20	26	30	
Moorhead	24	28		
Pittsburgh	28	28		
Pueblo	22	22		
New York	38	46		
New Orleans	56	58		
San Diego	52	56		
San Francisco	48	52		
St. Louis	28	30		
St. Paul	24	26		
Washington	30	32		

SCENES AT ST. ROSE CONVENT FIRE



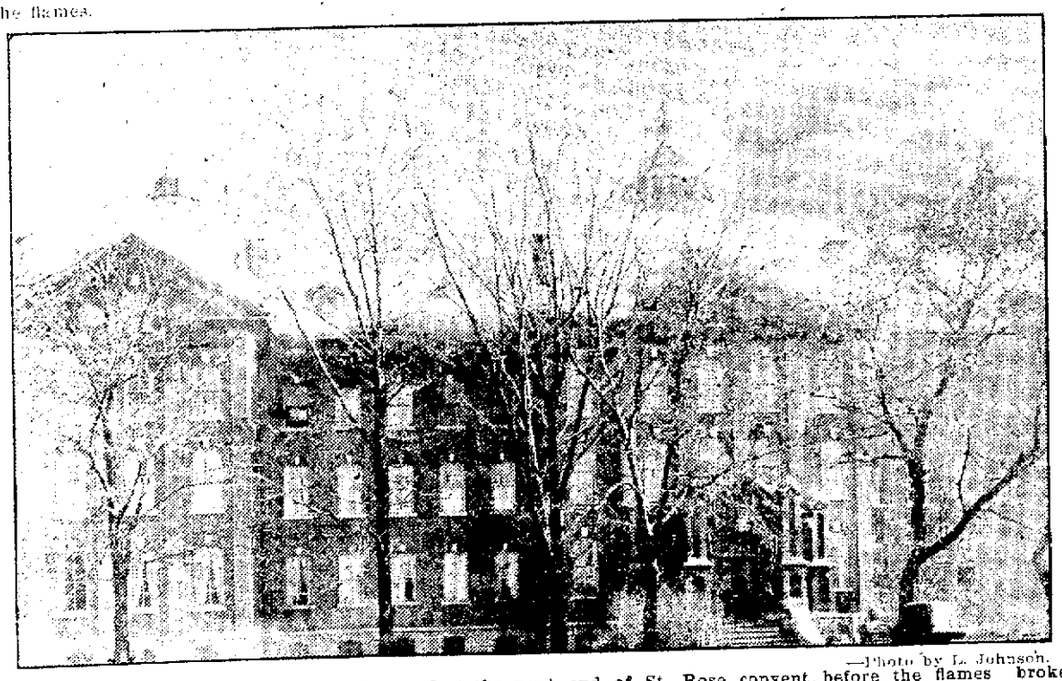
—Photo by Frank W. Hegenbart.

One of the most spectacular views of the St. Rose convent fire. View looking west from inside of court. The roof has collapsed and flames may be seen through the upper windows.



—Photo by Frank W. Hegenbart.

View of the southwest corner of the convent shortly after the firemen arrived to begin their battle with the flames.



—Photo by L. Johnson.

Smoke pouring out from under the roof at the west end of St. Rose convent, before the flames broke through and the roof collapsed.

WARRANTS SERVED ON GOV. M'CRAY TO ANSWER CHARGES

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Governor Warren T. McRay Monday was served with warrants for his appearance to answer to the charges contained in eighty indictments returned against him by the Marion county grand jury last Friday. Bond of $25,000 was provided by twelve local men.

FORD DISCUSSES MUSCLE SHOALS WITH COOLIDGE

WASHINGTON.—Henry Ford, who came to Washington Monday to appear before the interstate commerce commission at hearings affecting his railroad properties, had a brief conference with President Coolidge, discussing, it is understood, the status and disposition of the administration toward his offer for Muscle Shoals.

13 CONVICTS BREAK KANSAS PRISON; 3 SEEN IN WOODS

LANSING, Kas.—Three of the thirteen prisoners who escaped Sunday night from the Kansas penitentiary here were sighted Monday in timber near Ettenson Station, fifteen miles south of Lansing. Twenty-five or thirty prison guards are in a posse endeavoring to capture the fugitives.

COOPER GETS 17 VOTES FOR SPEAKER 198 TO GILLETT

Nine Wisconsin Congressmen Vote for Colleague; Berger Votes Present

REPRESENTATIVE GARRETT GETS 195 ON FIRST BALLOT

The Second Ballot Also Fails in an Election

WASHINGTON, D. C.—On the first ballot in the house speakership Monday noon, Speaker Gillett received 198 votes to 195 for Representative Cooper. Representative Madden, republican, Illinois, was given five votes.

The seventeen who voted for Cooper were: Beck, Browne, Frear, Lampert, Nelson, Peavey, Schafer, Schneider and Voigt, all of Wisconsin; Clague, Davis, Keller and Knutson, republicans of Minnesota; Kvale, independent, of Minnesota; Wefald, farmer-labor, Minnesota; La Guardia, republican, New York, and Sinclair, republican, North Dakota.

Second Ballot Also Fails

The five who voted for Madden were: King, Michaelson and Reid, of Illinois, and James and Woodruff, Michigan, all republicans.

Madden voted for Gillett. Berger, socialist, Wisconsin, voted present, as did Gillett, Garrett and Cooper.

The second ballot also failed to result in an election.

The result of the second ballot was: Gillett, 195; Garrett, 193; Cooper, 17; Madden, 6.

Progressives Cause Deadlock

The little progressive bloc, made up of followers of Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, refused to support Speaker Gillett for re-election and precipitated a deadlock, blocking all other business.

Mr. Gillett had the support of the republican organization, but his strength fell short of the majority over all necessary to elect. The democrats voted solidly for Representative Garrett of Tennessee and the bulk of the progressive bloc strength went to Representative Cooper of Wisconsin.

Compromise negotiations to permit of an election within a day or two were expected by the republican chiefs but as the voting went on there were no indications of capitulation to the progressive bloc demand for concessions in committee assignments and changes in the house rules.

Senate Adjourns Till Tuesday

After a session lasting exactly forty-five minutes, the senate adjourned until Tuesday, out of respect to the memory of senators who have died since the last session—Nelson of Minnesota; Dillingham of Vermont, and Nicholson of Colorado. There was no move for a reorganization, but the democrats, having selected a full slate of candidates, were prepared later to offer a motion to proceed with the election of a president pro tem. The move probably will be postponed until after President Coolidge has delivered his annual message.

On the senate side the opening formalities passed off with the usual outward calm and decorum, the threat of a fight to force reorganization of the senate and some of its more important committees was in the background.

In both house and senate the gavels fell promptly at 12 o'clock, with Senator Cummins of Iowa, the president pro tem., presiding over his colleagues and Clerk William Tyler Page occupying the speaker's chair of the house pending the outcome of the fight over the speakership.

Dems Harmonious

Senate democrats quickly perfected their organization at a conference just before the senate met. Senator Robinson of Arkansas was elected chairman of the conference and party leader, Senator Walsh of Montana, vice chairman; Senator Pittman of Nevada was nominated as the democratic candidate for president of the senate and Senator Gerry of Rhode Island was re-elected party whip. Senator King of Utah was named secretary of the conference.

For an hour before the house went into session the progressive bloc had been in conference.

"There will be no election of speaker today," said Representative Nelson of Wisconsin, chairman of the group, after the meeting. He reiterated that the bloc controlled enough votes to prevent the re-election of Speaker Gillett, but declined to say how long the insurgents expected to hold out.

"Our real fight," he said, "will come later when we seek to modify house rules."

Robinson Floor Leader

The senate democrats also held a conference during the morning, elected Senator Robinson or Arkansas as democratic floor leader and selected a slate of candidates for senate offices. The republican senators at a meeting last week had re-elected Sen-

(Continued on page six)

DAMAGE IS ESTIMATED AT $175,000; FIREFIGHTERS RESCUE TRAPPED SISTER

Famous St. Rose Chapel Unhurt and Nuns Continue Devotions Calmly While Flames Rage Within Few Yards of Shrine

ONE life was lost and damage estimated at $175,000 took place in a fire which Sunday noon gutted the dormitory wings of St. Rose Convent, Ninth and Market streets, the mother house of the order of Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration.

Sister M. Ledwina, 70, was found in the ruins of the convent at four o'clock Sunday afternoon after the fire was under control, lying near the door of the room which had been her home for many years. Her body was badly burned, and its position indicated that she had been overcome by smoke while endeavoring to battle her way to safety.

Sister M. Pancretia, portress of the convent, was carried down a ladder from the window of her room on the third floor after she had been trapped by smoke and flames. She was uninjured.

All of the rest of the sisters in the convent, numbering about 135, were able to escape without difficulty when the alarm was given at 11:30.

Older Part Ruin

The older part of the convent building, including the central wing facing Ninth street, and the somewhat later addition fronting Market street, was practically ruined by the flames and by water. The roof along this whole section was completely destroyed, with most of the third floor, and water damage carried the destruction through to the basement in most of the structure. The east wing, a newer section of fireproof construction, was not damaged, although there will be some loss here due to the excited enthusiasm of a crowd of men and boys who, in the effort to save furniture, books and other contents of the building, wrecked and ruined a good deal of equipment. This wing was the quarters of the convent normal school, used in the training of the sisters for their teaching activities.

Laid to Crossed Wires

Just how the fire started remains a mystery, although it is believed to have been the result of a short-circuit in the wiring somewhere near the top of the building at the south end, near the famous St. Rose Chapel of Perpetual Adoration which, incidentally, was entirely uninjured. The chapel was protected by heavy firewalls and fireproof doors, and although the flames were raging a few feet away no damage at all was done either by fire or water in the chapel.

The flames were first discovered at 11:30 by sisters in the kitchen of the convent, on the ground floor, who smelled smoke in the dumb-waiter shaft. Glancing up, they discovered flames in the upper portion of the shaft and hurriedly gave the alarm. Father Kilian G. Beyer, the chaplain of the convent, turned in the alarm to the fire department. He said that when he was notified by the sisters of the blaze he rushed upstairs and found that the flames were by that time down the dumbwaiter shaft as far as the second floor. However, the greatest spread of fire was in the attic of the old building. The flames started apparently in the south end of the central wing, the oldest portion of the building. The wind was from the south, and swept the fire north through the attic, quickly spreading the flames until all of the roof timbers were ablaze north to Market street, and around the corner.

The efforts of the fire department were devoted to restricting the fire to the upper floors and to the older section of the building. The east wing, a fire-proof section devoted to the school rooms—the convent housed the normal training school of the order, which specializes in school work—was entirely undamaged.

Chief Chops Hole in Roof

The fire was under control by two o'clock. At this time the roof all along the Ninth street side had fallen in, and part of the roof on the Market street side. The fire was not definitely controlled until Chief McGlachlin clambered to the roof on the Market street side and chopped a hole in the iron roof which was penning in the fire and preventing access. Through the vent thus created the firemen got a stream on the blaze and checked its further progress.

Reports that an explosion had occurred at the start of the fire were

(Continued on page six)

NO BREAK IN DEVOTIONS

Throughout the fire the St. Rose Chapel, dedicated to the service of perpetual adoration, saw no break in its devotions. The sisters whose hours of duty it was remained in the chapel on their knees, while flames raged a few yards away, and other members of the community by the score flocked into the chapel to pray. The chapel is noted as one of the finest in the west, both from the architectural and decorative standpoint. Although it is a part of the building which burned, just south of the point at which the fire started, it was entirely undamaged, not even smoke or water coming through the wall and fire doors which close the passage to the convent proper.

CAUSE OF FIRE NOT DETERMINED SAYS FIRE CHIEF

Inspection of Building Reveals No Probable Cause of Convent Fire

GAS FUSING WITH FRESH AIR CAUSES EXPLOSION

Department Employs Eleven Fire Lines on Building

CAUSE of the fire which Sunday afternoon gutted the dormitory wings of St. Rose convent has not been determined from the fireman's angle, according to statements of Chief F. C. McGlachlin, in an interview Monday morning.

While several probable causes were advanced, among them defective wiring, the chief stated that from his inspection of the building he was unable to arrive at any definite cause.

Explains Explosion

Asked about the explosion at the inception of the fire which was reported to have been heard by residents in close proximity to the convent, and about which many rumors were circulated, Chief McGlachlin stated that it no doubt occurred when the smoke and resulting gasses, confined in the building, came in contact with outside air.

The chief explained that outside windows and doors being closed, prevented the gas from the flames from escaping, and increased sufficiently in density to cause an explosion when it reached the attic and fused with the oxygen of fresh air. In this connection, he recalled a similar experience at the time the Starch brothers' building was destroyed, when an explosion shook bricks from the top of the building and even loosened the roof.

Slow in Detection

That the fire had been raging for considerable time before the alarm was given to the department, was the opinion of the chief given out today. He indicated that the prevailing weather conditions, being a clear sky and bright sun, made it difficult for the department to determine off-hand the extent of the fire within. To the brightness of the day, he also attributed the fact that passers-by and close residents did not realy become aware of the fire until after it was well under way, the smoke not being as conspicuous as it would have been on a dark day.

The alarm was telephoned in at 11:40 from the heating plant, the chief said, workmen there having been notified of the fire by Father Beyer over the house telephone.

None Seriously Injured

The chief reported that every fireman escaped without any serious injury. Captain John McDonald of Central engine house, slightly injured his back, but after a brief layoff, was able to resume the work.

The alarm was a 4-11, calling into service every department in the city with their day and night shifts.

Contrary to rumors, no aid from Winona or any of the surrounding towns or villages was called in.

The department employed eleven lines on the building in fighting the fire, the water being supplied from six hydrants in that vicinity. According to figures secured from F. B. Kim-

(Continued on page six)

BOY'S SKELETON FOUND; EIGHT YEAR SEARCH ENDED

Identified as that of Jimmy Glass of New Jersey, $100,000 Spent in Hunt

SCRANTON, Pa.—The finding of a boy's skeleton together with evidence making identification positive, in a swamp near Greeley, Pike county Pa., Sunday brought to an end a search of more than eight years for four-year-old Jimmy Glass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glass of Jersey City, N. J.

A pair of shoes on the feet of the skeleton and garters encircling the bones of the legs were identified by Mrs. Glass as those worn by her child, when he disappeared from their summer home at Greeley on May 15, 1915. Two brass snaps used to shorten and lengthen the straps on overalls, found near the skeleton, also aided in the identification.

The skeleton was found Saturday by a deer hunter in a marsh woods. It is about two miles from the boarding house where Jimmy and his parents were spending the summer. There were no marks of violence on the skeleton and no bones were broken.

On the day of his disappearance Jimmy was playing near the boarding house. His father now believes he wandered off, following a pet dog. When he did not return at dusk, Mrs. Glass gave the alarm. The woods around Greeley were tramped for days, a dam was dynamited and a pond drained but without success. Gypsy bands everywhere were held up by the police and their caravans and camps searched and the parents traveled thousands of miles following clues that failed to bear results. County authorities estimate that the search cost $100,000.

ART NOTES

There is a refinement and delicacy of beauty in pencil drawings and etchings all their own, similar to the beauty of cameos and miniature portraits, something that puts these in a class to themselves.

It has always seemed to us that etchings, pencil and dry-point drawings, are the very essence of artistic rendering — the substance, produced with lines, the material, reduced to its lowest terms. All this is not inconsistent with strength, with character. It simply means that great effects may be gained with the minimum of lines. It requires sureness of touch, a craftsman who has passed the experimenting stage. In these remarks we have in mind the exquisite offerings by Miss Harriet Buell, the three pencil drawings. They are charming and delightful studies, repaying careful study, and requiring it, if one would get the full effect of the daintiness combined with character, and fine workmanship shown in the three different types—the portrait studies from Miss Buell's pencil.

(By an inexcusable slip in the MS. sheets, this paragraph, which was a portion of Sunday's write-up, failed to reach the newspaper.)

Many of the word famous painters in oil frequently did exquisite things in pencil, many of these also commanding high prices after the death of the artists. We are thinking just now of Abbot H. Thayer, some of whose pencil drawing were reproduced in January, 1922, International Studio.

* * * *

The exhibitors may take away their pictures any time after today, we are asked to say.

* * * *

We haven't the total attendance at this exhibit. On Tuesday afternoon a class of twenty-six from the Normal school visited the exhibit, some forty persons being present. Not open in the evening. On Wednesday another class of twenty-seven was present. On Friday afternoon and evening about 100 were in attendance. The exhibit was not open until near four o'clock Saturday afternoon, the attendance being small. Sunday afternoon some eighty persons saw the pictures. On the whole, not a bad showing considering the irregular hours.

* * * *

It seems that after all not everyone who wishes it, has been able so far to see our local art exhibit, perhaps because of these very busy days. At any rate, more requests are coming in to keep the pictures on view still longer. It is especially asked that the exhibit be open on Wednesday of this week. The hours will be from two to five in the afternoon and from seven to nine in the evening. Miss Jennie Heileman will be in charge. Ever notice it? We begin to become interested when the closing is announced! Hereafter, on the first day we shall say, "Last call to the diner!"

Note, the exhibit is not open tomorrow (Tuesday), but is to be on Wednesday afternoon and evening.

* * * *

Several persons are asking when annual dues are payable. Answer, now. This will carry you through the exhibit season, or year, that is, from fall to summer. Send check of $2.00 or $1.00 to Mr. Carl Rau, treasurer, care Salzer Seed company. Don't wait to receive notice of dues. The association needs the funds now to plan the next exhibit.

D. O. C.

ERMINIO SPALLA LICKS MARIANO BARGARESI

ROME.—Erminio Spalla, the Italian heavyweight pugilist, defeated Mariano Bargaresi, another Italian heavyweight, in the fifth round of their bout Saturday night. The fighting was all in Spalla's favor, and Barbaresi refused to continue after the fifth round.

LOIS WILSON, one of the featured players in "The Covered Wagon," which comes to the La Crosse Theatre the week of December 9th.

LEGION WORKING TO BUILD UP A BIG LOCAL POST

Just as the local census of ex-servicemen was well organized the state officers of the Legion came out with a membership proposition that is stirring the local post and the auxiliary to unusual activity. Announcement was made that a magnificent silver cup is offered as a prize to that post of the Seventh Congressional district which on December 20th, 1923, shows the largest per cent of increase in membership on the paid up membership of the post before the census started.

The local post sees here a chance to pull down a plum and at the same time to give better service to the ex-serviceman in this community. This move fits in particularly well just now when the census is well under way.

Census Work Continues

The census work is not finished and will be continued until the job has been completed. This week simply has the additional program of securing the co-operation of our ex-servicemen by placing themselves inside the organization that has done the most for them. There can be no doubt that the Legion is the one organized agency that directly and indirectly has accomplished more for the disabled veteran than all other agencies combined. At the post meeting on Thursday night special effort will be made to explain and impress upon the minds of all present just how much the legion has done. Many ex-servicemen do not know what the organization has actually done. The publicity in newspapers has for the most part been of a general nature. The local post intends to give specific and definite information to all who will come to the post meetings.

Every legion member is expected to bring in five members between now and December 16th. La Crosse can do it and will do it if convinced the program is worth while. It is the duty of all, both ex-servicemen and citizens generally, to learn of the value of the work the local, state and national organizations of legions have been doing.

Milwaukee county has set the goal of 35,000 post members! Other cities and counties have set correspondingly high aims for 1924 and every city considers the activity of the legion as good work for the community—good advertising, to phrase it as the businessman puts it.

MARY STEINMETZ AND CARL FICK OF TOMAH WED

Couple to Reside in Tomah After their Honeymoon Trip

TOMAH, Wis.—The marriage of Mary M., eldest daughter of George Steinmetz Jr., and Mr. Carl Fick, Jr., was celebrated on November 30, at St. Mary's Catholic church, Rev. Louis Wurst officiating. The bride was attended by her sister Helen, and James Sullivan acted as best man. After the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, where a wedding breakfast was served. After a wedding journey, Mr. and Mrs. Fick will be at home to their friends in this city where the groom is employed, in the local office of the Chicago, Milwaukee St. Paul railroad shops.

William Burns, aged seventy-one years, died on November 30 at his home in this city. He was born in Greenlock, Scotland, on July 16, 1852, and came to this country when a boy of 18. He has resided in Monroe county for nearly half a century. Mr. Burns was a skillful veterinary surgeon and was widely known to stock growers of this locality. He is survived by his widow, Elizabeth Burns, and by four sons, three daughters, twenty-two grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Information has just been received in this city of the death of a former Tomahite, John F. Richards, a prominent C. M. and St. Paul railroad official. Death came on Sunday, November 25, at the family residence in Seattle, Wash. He was an older brother of Judge R. A. Richards of Sparta, also a former resident of this city.

The marriage of Mildred Niebuhr and Irvin Strozinsky, both of Oakdale, was celebrated on November 30 at the Lutheran parsonage in this city. The bride and groom have been employed in this city for some time and will reside here permanently.

The Misses Florence Fox and Mabel Welch of this city are members of the commercial hockey team at Whitewater State Normal school, which won first place in a recent hockey tournament in which eighteen girls' teams competed. Two hundred and thirty girls, who are students at the normal, contested for honors at hockey.

AUTO DEATHS ARE 12.5 PER 100,000; FATALITIES MOUNT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A continued increase in the death rate from automobile accidents is reported by the census bureau which places the rate at 12.5 per 100,000 of population in last year as compared with 11.5 in 1921 and 9.0 in 1917.

Fatalities in 1922, the report says, totaled 11,666, an increase of 1,495 over the preceding year. The figures cover 85 per cent of the nation's population. California had the highest rate—26.0 per 100,000 of population—and Mississippi had the lowest with 3.4, while Vermont showed the greatest increase with a rate of 11.1 against 6.5 in 1921.

NAVAL OFFICER ACQUITTED

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—Lieut.-Commander Richard H. Booth, eleventh and last of the navy officers to face court martial as the result of the wrecking of seven destroyers on Point Honda the night of September 8, was Saturday acquitted of charges of negligence.

Of the eleven officers to face the court, three were found guilty in some degree and eight were acquitted. The degree of guilt affixed by the court will not be made public until approved by the navy department in Washington.

WAR DEBT FACTS SOUGHT

WASHINGTON.—Full information regarding the French war debt to the United States, amounting to nearly four billions of dollars was requested by Senator Borah in a letter to Secretary of the Treasury Mellon.

SHOPPING AT HOME

Everybody likes to give Christmas presents, but their purchase is unpleasant due to stuffy street cars, icy streets, and crowded stores with tired and impatient clerks.

Picture yourself in the quiet and comfort of your own home, selecting your Christmas gifts. The Fuller Man will help you to select appropriate presents and will deliver them nicely wrapped in holly boxes all ready to hang on your tree or to mail.

This is the reason the Fuller Man is welcomed in every home as Christmas time approaches. Next time he calls, ask to see the photographs of the Fuller personal brushes,—the ideal Christmas gifts.

D. C. DEWEY
530 So. 4th. Phone 1848-Black
Local. Representative.

LAUNCH IS SUNK THREE NARROWLY ESCAPE DROWNING

DRESBACH, Minn.—Three persons narrowly escaped drowning when a launch carrying Thomas and Ben Dearman of this village and the nine year old son of the former sank in the Mississippi river while plowing its way through the shore ice.

When the ice tore a large hole in the launch, which with its heavy engine, began to sink quickly in 30 feet of water, the men, seeing the danger placed the boy on the ice. The ice was not strong enough to support the men.

The lad ran across the ice to the nearby farm of John Proudfoot, on the Wisconsin side of the river, for assistance. Mrs. Proudfoot secured a pole and hastened to the water's edge barely in time to save the men, who were nearly exhausted from their struggles in the icy water, handicapped as they were by heavy clothing and footwear.

In the meantime the Dickson launch went to the rescue and the drenched and chilled men were speedily brought home. They will suffer no serious ill effects from their experience, it is believed.

The men were attempting to reach Mr. Proudfoot's barge in their launch at the time the accident happened. They intended to use the barge to convey stock across the river.

FAVORS M'ADOO

HURON, S. D.—By The Associated Press—An unqualified endorsement of William G. McAdoo for the South Dkota presidential primary nomination was voiced Saturday by the democratic state chairman, W. W. Howes of Wolsey, following a conference with state leaders here in preparation for the party proposal convention at Pierre next Tuesday.

ASKS ANOTHER COAL PARLEY

HARRISBURG Pa.—Governor Pinchot forwarded report of the conference of governors of anthracite consuming states held here last week to the executives together with invitations for another conference to be held December 13 for consideration of further plans for relief from high prices.

AN EASY WAY TO HAVE WAVY HAIR

New Liquid Gives Straight Hair a Beautiful 7-Day Curl

Beauty experts have found a new liquid which seems to possess an almost magical power to make straight hair wonderfully wavy, beautifully curly. In fact, just a few drops is all that is needed to make the hair fall in naturally silky curls and soft fluffy waves. It gives even the stubbornest hair a charming, permanent wave effect which usually lasts 10 days—often longer.

This new liquid, called Domino Curlette, is considered one of the greatest beauty discoveries in years. For it provides women with a cheap and convenient method of keeping their hair neat, fluffy and wavy at all times. It's so simple! Use the reliable kid curlers, but before doing so, just apply a few drops of Domino Curlette. Then watch the results. Not only you, but your friends, will be amazed at the improvement in your appearance.

Get Domino Curlette to-day for just a small price. Money back if you say so. Sold at good druggists and department stores everywhere such as McCord & Co., Sjolander's Drug Store, Hebberd's Drug Store, Gorder's Drug Store, Boerner's Drug Store, Hoeschler Bros., Wm. Doerflinger Co.

Sprains

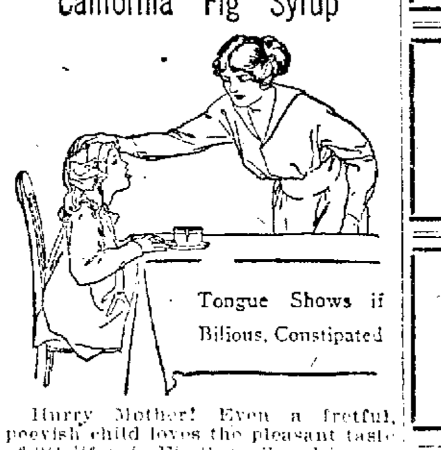
should be treated quickly and thoroughly

Sloan's relieves the pain, and keeps the tissues from stiffening up—hastens repair. Get a bottle today—35 cents. It will not stain.

Sloan's Liniment—*kills pain!*

MOTHER!

Child's Best Laxative is "California Fig Syrup"



Hurry Mother! Even a fretful, peevish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

ENVIABLE RECORD SET BY TWO YEAR GRADE HOLSTEIN

Two-year-old Has Record of 47.1 Pounds of Butter Fat

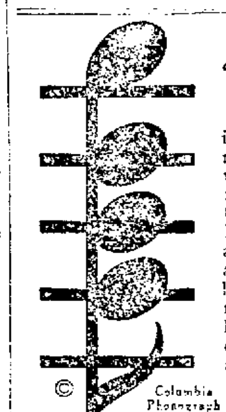
Of the 414 cows tested this month by the Washington C. T. A., 39 produced over 40 pounds of butterfat, a substantial increase over last month. An outstanding record of this test period is the production of a two-year-old grade Holstein heifer owned by Oscar Gullord. She has 1,122 pounds milk or 47.1 pounds butterfat to her credit.

Daisy, the Grade Holstein cow owned by Frank Misna and Sons, again tops the high cow list. She now has 526 pounds of fat to her credit and will finish this year with almost double her last year's production. The Misna herd also topped the list in high herd class, averaging 1,262 pounds of milk or 41.7 pounds of butterfat, with 19 cows milking. L. A. Knudson holds second place, his herd averaging 944 pounds milk, or 38 pounds fat.

The following list gives owners of herds, number of cows, pounds of milk and pounds of butterfat:

Owner.	No. of 40 lb. Cows.	Lbs. Milk.	B.F.
Frank Misna & Sons	11	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oscar Gullord	5	[illegible]	[illegible]
L. A. Knudson	6	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. First	5	[illegible]	[illegible]
L. O. Brye	2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Elmer Johnson	2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louis Servais	3	479	46.0
Magnus Stofslien	1	1175	[illegible]
R. Dummer	2	1052	45.2
L. N. Sather	1	767	40.3

E. L. MARKING, Official Tester.



"Sittin' In a Corner"

is a riotous, irresistible fox-trot by the irrepressible California Ramblers. As a song, Van and Schenck have made it famous. On Columbia Records A-3994 and 5 D.

© Columbia Phonograph Company

Columbia
New Process RECORDS

Every Cold is Dangerous—Begin Taking Father John's Medicine at Once.

—NO DRUGS—
OVER 68 YEARS OF SUCCESS

ATTEND THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BIG BAZAAR
Dec. 5th to 8th
CLINTON AND AVON STREETS

Big Booster Bazaar
Knights of Pythias
Clinton and Avon Streets
Dec. 5th to 8th.

Strictly fresh roasted
JUMBO PEANUTS
Get them at the
BODEGA CLUB

See the beautiful GIFT PACKAGES in our Toilet Goods department.
SPURGEON'S.

THE LACROSSE TRIBUNE AND LEADER-PRESS

A NEWSPAPER FOR THE PEOPLE.

Published every afternoon and Sunday morning by La Crosse Tribune Co., 201-203 So. 5th St., La Crosse, Wis.

LA CROSSE, THE BEAUTIFUL.

F. H. BURGESS, Publisher.
MARK R. BYERS, Managing Editor.
A. M. BRAYTON, Associate Editor.

Entered as second-class matter, June 22, 1904, at the post-office at La Crosse, Wis., under the Act of Congress of 1879.

The Tribune and Leader-Press is a member of the Lee Newspaper Syndicate.
Phones: Business office, 328-1; Editorial Department, 328-2.

Advertising Representatives—Cone, Hunton & Woodman, Inc., Room 1707 People's Life Building, 130 N. Wells Street, Chicago; 225 Fifth Avenue, New York; Victor Building, Kansas City, Mo.; Constitution Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.; American Bldg., Detroit, Mich.; Victoria Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for re-publication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published therein.

Michigan

MICHIGAN newspapers, it appears, received a false impression of what took place at the Michigan-Wisconsin game in Madison. Editorials about student rowdyism which have appeared in Michigan newspapers indicate that there has gained footing an impression that Walter Eckersall was subjected to assault by university students following the decision which gave Michigan its six to three victory over the Badgers. The facts are quite the contrary. Eckersall was struck by an unknown person, most certainly not a student. The Wisconsin team hastened to his assistance and students took part in getting him quietly out of the city. It is true that students were emphatic in protesting Mr. Eckersall's decision. That would have been true in any university, but the very fact of the excitement under which Wisconsin students labored adds its testimonial to their restraint and their sense of propriety in having done nothing of a violent nature.

Possibly Michigan people are unaware of the fact that upon a previous occasion Mr. Eckersall had won disapproval of Wisconsin university students because of what they believed to have been unfairness. Owing to this fact, the selection of Mr. Eckersall as official in a game in which Wisconsin participated was bad judgment, and unquestionably the conference officials should refrain from sending him to Wisconsin again as much on his own account as on that of the Badgers, and, still further, in the interests of football as a college sport. This is true, we believe, quite irrespective of the merits of the complaints that have been made here against Mr. Eckersall.

Of two things, however, Wisconsin earnestly wants Michigan to be convinced. One is that, even at a moment of tense and bitter feeling, there was no rowdyism on the part of University of Wisconsin students; the other is that Wisconsin holds Michigan in no way at fault for anything that has happened, and cherishes toward her sister university both good will and admiration. The general feeling here is that the Badgers met a great team from Ann Arbor and gave that team its greatest battle of the year. We'd like to try again.

Shop Early

FRIDAY officially opened the Christmas shopping season. For the benefit of their patrons, La Crosse stores set up an elaborate program of Christmas suggestions, useful to those in quest of appropriate purchases. There is not much variation in the volume of Christmas buying. The advertising of the period does not aim to induce people to purchase what they do not want, but rather to serve as a guide to suitable buying and to encourage early attention to Christmas shopping, which is indeed important, both as to prudence and as to humanity. It saves the sales forces of the community some of the weary hours that result from a congestion of shopping in the last moments of the season. When shopping is distributed throughout the period, sales people have a better opportunity to give good service. Shoppers move more deliberately and secure better choices of merchandise. The post office and express companies are rescued from masses of belated packages to transport which, in the closing days, with accuracy and on time often become an utter impossibility.

We do not speak for the purpose of stimulating unwarranted buying. Christmas buying comes from the heart and needs no spur. We do speak earnestly for an orderly and well distributed Christmas trade so conducted as to bring the best returns to the shoppers and to facilitate in every way the choosing, selling and transportation of Christmas merchandise.

For Peace—Political

SECRETARY OF STATE HUGHES announces an American international policy. It can hardly be called that. It is Mr. Hughes' policy, so far as it goes. Probably it is the administration's policy, including the new president. If it includes the world court, it does so only inferentially. It recognizes the value of the proposed economics conference on reparations. It includes the Monroe Doctrine. Somehow, we can always cling to that, which remains the hub of such international policy as we have. The open door in China and elsewhere is also a fairly well established American policy. Mr. Hughes enumerates the four-power treaty with its natural implications as part of the American international policy. He puts up an adamantine front against the slightest hint of any "European entanglements," but feels that it is American policy to do all that a detached government can do toward restoring the equilibrium of Europe and the good will of nations. He wants France to be made good for the war, but does not believe in "confiscation" of a vanquished foe.

No doubt this is as far as Mr. Hughes can go, and probably it falls short of the distance he would go were he the dictator of American foreign policy. His declaration is important from a political standpoint. It is uttered at this time in the interests of party harmony. It does not square fully with the international convictions of the late President Harding, who doubtless got his views very largely from Mr. Hughes. We do not believe either of these men think that neighborly advice will put out a fire. But politics has its expedients in order to meet its emergencies.

Tom Sims Says:

Astronomers say we will have no sun is 86,000,000 years. Others say it is 86,000,001 years too long.

Dictionary is what you use when you can't think of what to use in place of a word you can't spell.

Everybody is digging up pre-historic stuff everywhere. All we have to offer is a few street cars.

Reformers say the modern dance looks more like a race. We say it usually ends neck and neck.

One Chicago man, probably a coal dealer or landlord or bootlegger, paid $400,000 income tax.

If money talked, a dime made in 1900 could tell some yarns about what it bought in its youth.

Movie stars are getting so they get real mad if their weddings make them late for dinner.

Hard thing about getting rich is there are so many ways not to do it and so few ways to do it.

Give the boss a Christmas present. Then tell him you must have a raise so you can pay for it.

A disgusted grocer tells us he is broke because he not only gave credit where credit was due.

The hubby of Princess Mary is a collector of old glass. So are the autoists of this country.

Train conductors report the rising generation healthy. Many kids of four look to be ten.

Only safe place for a speeder is the Sahara Desert, where roads are as wide as they are long.

Oldest town in the world is Damascus. Now guess where we bought some of our street cars.

Los Angeles is where people go to find something to do until they can get into the movies.

You would think you were sleeping longer if you could watch the clock while you did it.

Lighting three cigarets with one match or stepping off a moving car backward is bad luck.

The nice thing about two autos crashing is you often find whiskey in one for the injured.

Things can be too good to be true. Books can be too true to be good.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

J. Severs, a Milwaukee railroad engineer who has been residing at Preston, is moving to this city and will reside in North La Crosse.

The tenth annual school board convention for La Crosse county will be held in the Agricultural school building at Onalaska on December 12.

Governor Francis E. McGovern was a guest of the Athletic Bowling club at Germania hall last night, the occasion being a dinner tendered by Mr. Carl Michel. Dr. Charles McCarty of the state reference library was another prominent guest.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Beaser have closed their house in West Salem and will live in La Crosse during the winter owing to Mr. Beaser's work.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

J. O. Henderson of Galesville has purchased the stock of F. C. Ford, the furniture man, and will run a store in that town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dickinson, who were residents of La Crosse since 1865 until a month ago when they took up their residence with their daughter in Winona, celebrated the sixty-first anniversary of their marriage on Thanksgiving day. Mrs. H. M. Edwards of La Crosse is one of their nine children.

The John A. Salzer Seed company has closed a deal by which it becomes sole owner of a patent on a hay press invented by Mr. E. A. Mead of Winona. The company paid $10,000. The manufacture will probably be carried on in La Crosse.

John Dwyer died yesterday at his home in Cashton. He is a brother of William Dwyer of this city.

Mr. Peter Lee and Miss Laura Anderson, town of Onalaska, were married yesterday by Rev. Vik at his residence on the north side.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

During the last twenty-four hours the temperature ranged between 12 degrees above and 6 degrees below.

Fire caused a slight damage in the Edwards' block, corner Second and Main streets, last Saturday evening.

Judgment was passed this morning at the office of the Gold Medal Flour and Feed company on twenty samples of bread baked by the ladies of La Crosse from Valley Queen flour. Mrs. John Dowling, 1438 Rose street and Mrs. L. Young, 1226 Kane street, received the awards.

The People's Reform club took a fresh start yesterday by electing a new set of officers as follows: President, James McCabe; secretary, A. D. Dorsett; corresponding secretary, William Owens; treasurer, Frank Wehrer.

Miss Minnie M. Dalton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dalton, will be united in marriage to Mr. Henry C. Dean the evening of December sixth at her home, 117 South Fourth street.

Zero Hour

By DUFORD JENNE

Theo Price looked up in wonder at her father's tired eyes as he put his hands on her shoulders and said quietly: "Little girl, will you do something difficult and unpleasant for me if it will help me?"

She knew the crisis which had once come in his life. "Will I, dad? You just ask and see!"

His haggard face brightened. "I knew you would—true blue all the way. Well, here is the situation. There is a young man downstairs by the name of Don Seymour, and I want you to lure him away and keep him away until after 3 o'clock. Can you do it? Look your prettiest, flirt with him—anything—but don't let him show up until after 3 if you have to hit him over the head with a club!"

"Three o'clock is zero hour? And I can hit him with a club if I want to," she said cheerily. "I hope he deserves hitting. Count on me, dad."

As she busied herself in the effort to make herself as attractive as possible, bringing to sharper effect her own dark beauty, she made her plans.

"Don Seymour is in for an interesting afternoon," she decided.

She was a little taken aback when, later on, her father introduced him. His tall, clean-cut figure, gray, direct eyes, quiet manner were certainly impressive; she saw in his glance the quick admiration men usually accorded her.

He readily agreed to join her in a pleasure ride through the countryside until the time of the business meeting provided there was no chance of being delayed.

"We will not go far. Father seemed to think, and I agreed too, that after your long journey a breath of our hill air might be pleasant," she said smiling.

In a few minutes they were gliding in her roadster through the streets of the manufacturing town, then out into the country. They chatted of this and that with light banter, and she used the beauty and charm that experience had taught her she possessed in winning him to her purpose.

As they talked, she developed the details of her plan. She knew that her father's manufacturing plant was to be put up at auction at 3 o'clock when, through this young man at her side, a group of capitalists who had forced her father to the wall would buy the plant. She also guessed that her father had been able to get friends to help him out if the representative of the capitalists could be kept out of the way. In other words, his friends could bid in the plant if the agent for the richer group did not appear.

She glanced at the clean, strong profile of the man beside her. "He will never appear, even if it takes a club to prevent him!" she advised herself.

The miles and the minutes sped under the smoothly rolling tires. When she brought the car to a stop, they were beside her father's cottage on Lake St. Kathleen. Far out in the lake was a little island, to which she pointed.

"Do you like to canoe? We have a most delightful little cabin there, and in these days when the lake is deserted, with the summer people home for the autumn season, I do enjoy going out—seems so wild and primitive," she suggested.

He drew a long breath of the autumn air. "It is pleasant here, and I like the feeling of a paddle. Doesn't seem far out. Let's go!" he urged.

For a moment she was sorry for the plot.

She soon discovered that he could drive a canoe with unusual power, and she loafed as much as she dared with her paddle, but soon they reached the island. From the landing-place a path ran through a heavy fringe of bushes. She gave him the key to the cabin, told him to go ahead and have it ready for her and she would take care of the canoe, as she knew just where the locking-chain was secreted in the bushes.

The moment he had disappeared she gave the canoe a shove. The light breeze caught it and the canoe moved away.

Her heart beat with a quickened throb. He could never swim to the mainland. She had him marooned, caged, without a club.

He examined the cabin with interest, and lingered long over her father's fishing kit. "By Jove! I would like to cast a fly out there!"

He paused and stared out of the window. The canoe was faintly visible. He said nothing for a moment, and she was a bit frightened, but she too said nothing.

"I am afraid you didn't lock that canoe," he said gently, his gray, fine eyes upon her. "Evidently I shan't get to the auction at 3 o'clock. I smell a plot. You are clever."

She did not like his tone. "Not really clever, you know, but clever enough to keep you and yours from owning the business at your own price that my father spent a lifetime in creating!"

He smiled a faint, enigmatic smile.

"Are you remembering that you may find it necessary to spend the night here with me?"

The shock of his reminder stunned her. "Why I—I—"

"As far as I am concerned, I have no objections," he said pleasantly.

"Please," she begged.

His smile was comforting. "Don't worry about it. We'll find a way to avoid it, but, you see, you think you have put something over on me. Now listen, please; I know that something might happen if I went, so I left word with a secretary, who accompanied me to town to present our bid if I was not there at 3 o'clock!"

"No, no! You didn't!" she exclaimed.

"You remember my asking you to stop for a jiffy in the street? You thought I went to get some cigars. I went to telephone."

She did not dare to look at him, but sat in despair. She heard him leave the cottage and go toward the island's point. Her mind cleared as his absence continued. Her father knew she had come here. If she did not return, he would come after her. So she need not worry after all. The great hurt was in the thought that, after all, the plot had been in vain.

When Seymour returned he said briefly "Marooned!" Then his eyes grew kind. "Let's declare a truce. Can you cast a fly? Good. Let's see what we can do!"

She did not want to play with him, but something about his big boyishness showing through the man's reserve began to fascinate her. So they fished and splashed around till dusk.

Then he began to worry. "Really we can't stay here. I'll try to swim ..."

She had been watching the distant shore. "See? There's father's motorboat coming," she said with mixed feeling, almost sorry that the adventure was over. Then full realization came, and she waited her father's coming. She dreaded the sight of his face.

Then she received another shock. When the motorboat was beached, she saw her father shake Seymour's hand heartily, and heard him say: "I am mighty sorry about this. I was so troubled I thought you represented the crowd who wanted my business instead of the group who planned to save me."

Seymour smiled. "My people, if you went out of business, would be forced to buy material at the price that bunch set; so we thought we would bid it in, and put you in charge; but of course we planned to do it on the quiet for self protection. I hope my agent did the trick."

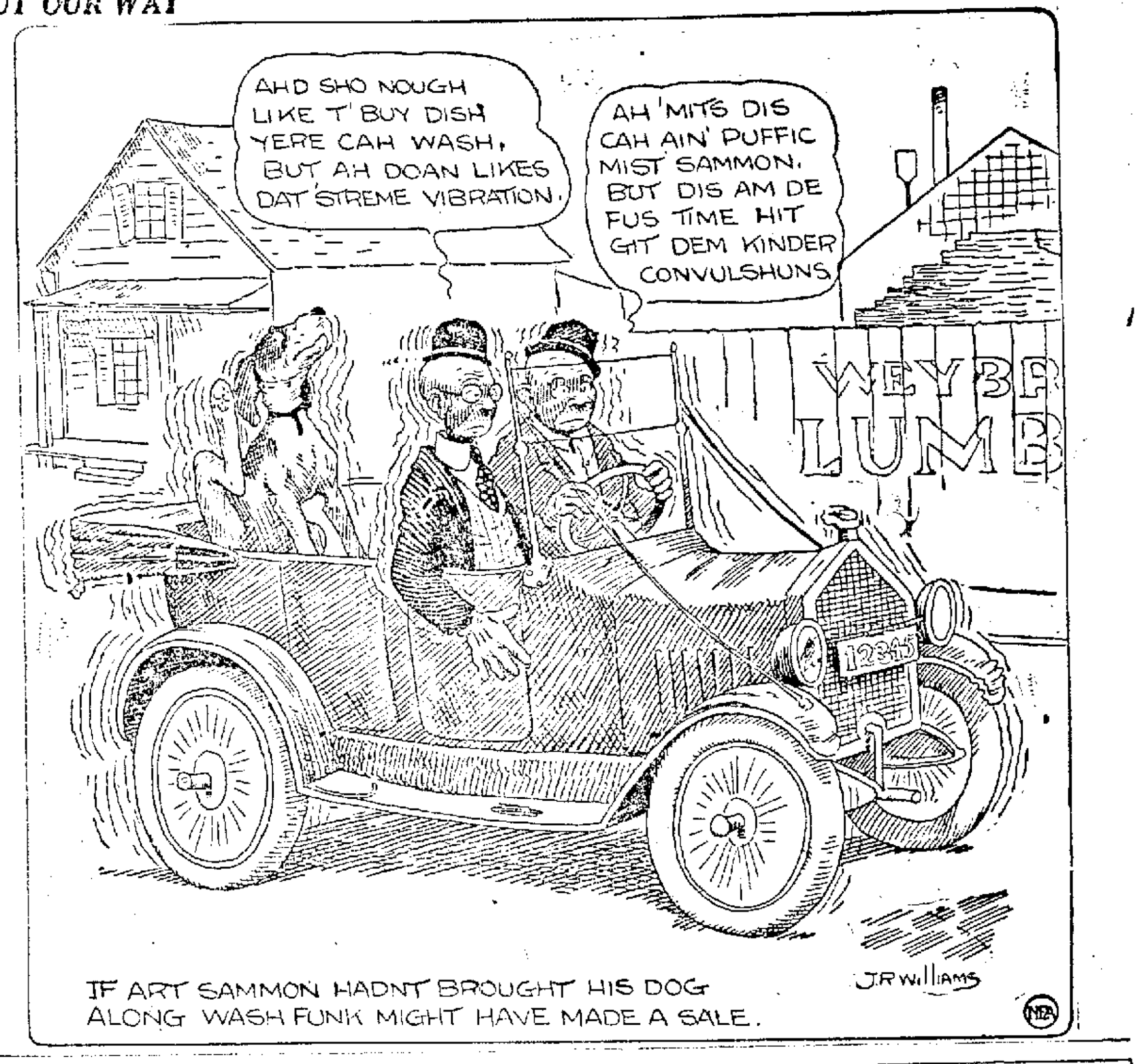
Once more in the car, on the way home, she said to him: "I think that was mean of you, to deceive me that way!"

He laughed. "It seems as if somebody else was mixed up in a little plot to deceive, too. Come, we're square. Let's come out for the fishing tomorrow. What do you say?"

"I say, 'Yes!'" she said promptly.

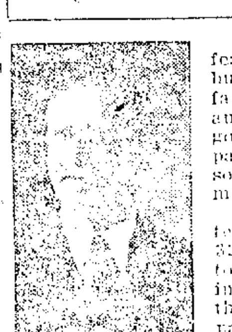
(Copyright, 1923, by Met[illegible] Newspaper [illegible].)

OUT OUR WAY — BY WILLIAMS



AUTOMOBILE SITUATION

Roger W. Babson Outlines Position of Industry and Its Securities.



WELLESLEY HILLS, Mass. — The outstanding features of the automobile situation are: (1) heavy but declining production, (2) declining demand, (3) fairly stable prices with downward adjustments here and there, (4) keen competition, and (5) generally good financial condition of the more important companies, according to a survey made by Roger W. Babson, the statistician, which is summed up in a statement issued today.

"The production of cars and trucks for the first ten months of this year averaged 307,635 cars and 324,228 trucks per month," says Mr. Babson. "This total output is about 60 per cent better than the output in the corresponding period of 1922. Notwithstanding this heavy rate of production stocks of new cars have apparently not accumulated to a burdensome degree. Sales during the first three-quarters of the year kept pace with production.

"Demand last spring and summer exceeded dealers' expectations and many found themselves without cars large enough to meet the needs of their customers. With this in mind dealers are now inclined to plan on liberal stocks for next year. Manufacturers apparently are also inclined to look for another heavy increase in sales and are planning on a much larger output.

* * * *

"The industry has been favored not only by an unusually strong demand but also by the fact that automobiles are cheaper, relative to pre-war ideas of value, than most other commodities. By reason of the large number of concerns competing for business, and also by reason of the necessity of lower prices in order to appeal to successively lower levels of purchasing power, the trend in price has been downward and there is nothing in sight that indicates a change in this trend.

"How long the industry will continue its remarkable growth is difficult to say. The changing ratio in the rate of registration increase, and the increased cost of selling, seem to indicate resistance in expanding the market. It is probable that the more alert manufacturers are continuing to plan on more cheaply made cars in the future in order that they may put prices lower and appeal to larger numbers of people. So long as this tendency proves profitable it is difficult to say when the industry will reach the point where it will be primarily on a replacement basis.

"Another important factor is the traffic congestion prevailing in many large cities which is beginning to prove a distinct hindrance to the sale of cars to residents. In some large places it is much more comfortable to walk or to use trolleys, subways or trains. It is feared that this condition may grow to such an extent as to seriously curtail demand and the industry is seeking to have cities plan future street construction so as to give automobile traffic first consideration.

* * * *

"The chief danger in the automobile situation is the tendency of buyers to exceed the safe limit of expenditure. However, so long as consumers can manipulate their budget so as to include automobile expenditure at present levels the industry will continue to expand.

"Present demand for automobiles is exceedingly good when you consider that general business as reflected on the Babsonchart is running seven per cent below normal.

* * * *

"There is nothing in the action of motor stocks which suggests a different market movement from the list as a whole," continued Mr. Babson. "An average of 13 representative issues, both car and truck, sold at a high in the spring of 18, declined to a low last summer of 31 and have rallied to around 37; seven motor accessory issues from a high of 76 declined to 48 and now maintain a level around 57. All issues used are New York Stock Exchange listed and represent body, wheel, carbureter and similar plants. Tires, however, are not considered. Examining the movements of individual issues in these groups one fails to find any evidence of a movement in specific issues in opposition to the trend. The apparently greater intensity of competition in the popular priced car field than in other departments of activity in the motor business might seem to suggest varying trends in the different issues. All, however, have recovered from 25 to 40 or 50 per cent of their decline.

"Looking back a little further it appears that automobile stocks have very closely followed the trend of the general market since the decline of 1920. It is probably reasonable to assume that they will do so in the future."

LA CRESCENT NOTES

LA CRESCENT, Minn.—The Thanksgiving dance given at the hall Wednesday night was well attended. [illegible] orchestra of La Crosse furnished the music.

A. [illegible] Edwards of North Ridge and Miss Betty Lee of Victory were married at La Crosse Friday. Miss Lee was a nurse at Grandview hospital.

Mrs. H. [illegible] entertained Thanksgiving night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. [illegible] wedding anniversary.

Mrs. [illegible] of North Dakota is visiting at the home of her son, Ed [illegible].

Miss Elizabeth Gillespie spent her Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her brother, James Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. John [illegible] were pleasantly surprised Sunday evening by a number of their friends, the occasion being their [illegible] anniversary and Mr. [illegible] birthday.

The Ladies of the M. E. Aid held their annual bazaar at the hall Thanksgiving day. It was a financial success.

A stitch in time saves nine. A run in time saves [illegible].

LIGHTED CHRISTMAS TREES DECORATE WAUSAU STREETS

WAUSAU, Wis.—One hundred and fifty merchants of Wausau, under the leadership of the Wausau Retail Merchants' Advertising club, have illuminated the downtown streets with 200 Christmas trees, each lighted with ten electric lights. They are fastened to the ornamental street light standards and make the city a veritable fairyland of color.

As a man thinks so is he. As a woman dresses so is she.

Heal WINTER CHAPS with soothing, antiseptic MENTHOLATUM Just rub it in freely

ATTEND THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BIG BAZAAR
Dec. 5th to 8th
CLINTON AND AVON STREETS

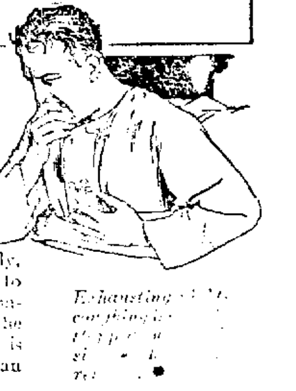
VIRGINIA PEANUTS
Roasted fresh daily.
Get them at the
BODEGA CLUB

Cough, cough, coughing—
all night long

You can stop it . .

That cough—it keeps you awake at night, breaks your rest, wastes your strength, endangers the delicate tissues of your throat and chest—break it up now.

For more than fifty years, thousands of families have relied upon Dr. King's New Discovery to break up coughs. It does this quickly, naturally by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off the secretions that are clogging them. Harmlessly, and without any bad after-effects, it quiets the throat and lung spasms, and the irritation that is causing the cough then promptly clears up. It has an agreeable taste. All druggists.



ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICE PROVES IMPRESSIVE EVENT

Large Attendance at Annual Ceremony Held in Rivoli Theater Sunday

Beautiful music, an inspiring address, handsome floral decorations and an impressive ritualistic ceremony marked the annual memorial services of the La Crosse lodge of Elks, held in the Rivoli theater at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

Charles U. Whelan of Madison delivered the memorial address, dwelling upon the cardinal traits of Elkdom which make for good citizenship and extolling the virtues of true fraternalism such as is taught by this order.

Mrs. Grace McLindon Bartl sang two solos in beautiful voice. Walter Goetzinger served as organist, and a string orchestra consisting of Karl Hoppe, W. J. Holcomb, R. Kreutz, G. Seed and J. R. [illegible] played during the services.

Services were held in memory of the following members of the La Crosse lodge of Elks who have passed away:

[illegible] ... Jan. [illegible] 1920; Dr. [illegible], 1920; Warren C. Wheeler, Aug. 6, 1920; [illegible] Kohn, Sept. 16, 1920; [illegible] Pelton, Nov. 18, 1920; Harry Montbert, Nov. [illegible], 1920; Samuel Le Clair, Jan. [illegible], 1921; [illegible] Reitzel, Mar. 5, 1921; James Thompson, April 6, 1921; Chas. Schwartz, July 21, 1921; Otto [illegible], Oct. 11, 1922; John C. Kramer, Oct. 15, 1922; A. M. Soderberg, Nov. 21, 1922; D. J. Williams, Jan. 5, 1923; W. F. [illegible], [illegible] 1923; John A. Elliott, April 8, 1923; Robert W. Reeves, July 14, 1923; S. Martindale, Nov. 16, 1923.

16 DIE IN YEAR AT SUPERIOR FROM DEADLY MOONSHINE

SUPERIOR, Wis.—The deaths of sixteen persons during the past eleven months are attributed directly or indirectly to "moonshine," according to statistics on file in the office of Z. A. Downs, county coroner. Two of the persons listed under this heading were drowned by falling into Superior Bay. During the last month deadly "white mule," caused the death of four persons, three of whom died within the period of a week, setting a record for deaths of this nature in Superior.

When You Catch Cold Rub on Musterole

Musterole is easy to apply and it gets in its good work right away. Often it prevents a cold from turning into "flu" or pneumonia. Just apply Musterole with the fingers. It does all the good work of grandmother's mustard plaster without the blister.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made of oil of mustard and other home simples. It is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Try Musterole for sore throat, cold on the chest, rheumatism, lumbago, pleurisy, stiff neck, bronchitis, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pains and aches of the back and joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of all sorts.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size, $3.00.

MUSTEROLE

Better than a mustard plaster.

URGE "MORE TOAST" TO HELP CONSUME SUPPLY OF WHEAT

CHICAGO, Ill.—A nation of toast eaters is sought by the wheat council of the United States through its "Eat More Toast" drive opened Monday. Increased consumption of wheat is expected by the council to result from its concerted move.

The campaign for increased use of toast as an effective means of causing increased wheat consumption, is to be continued indefinitely. Through country-wide activity, the wheat council hopes that the added consumption will reduce the present wheat surplus of the country, bringing relief to to growers.

RIVOLI HAS GOOD VAUDEVILLE FOR FIRST HALF WEEK

Four acts of unusually clever vaudeville was presented yesterday at the Rivoli theater with the feature photoplay, "Tea With a Kick," and will be continued today and tomorrow.

"Four Song Birds" presented a tender repote with old time melodies that made an instantaneous hit with the audience. The company consisted of two girls and two men. All of them possessed cultured voices and presented their songs in a pleasing manner.

Wesley and Celia presented a juggling act. Both members of the team showed exceptional ability and each juggling stunt and dance given was heartily encored.

The Gene Oliver Trio scored a hit in "Funny Face and Pals." The girl in the company sang delightful songs and a clever line of chatter kept the audience in an uproar. The act was replete with humor.

Frank Bush was a decided hit in his number "The American Story Teller." Frank Bush is a clever monologist and with his humorous Hebrew dialect gave the audience some of the latest and best jokes.

FOUR DIE IN AUTO ACCIDENTS SUNDAY NEAR MILWAUKEE

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Despite the approach of cold weather, Sunday automobile accidents dealing death and injury to scores have continued.

A man and woman were killed and three severely injured when the automobile in which they were driving near Oconomowoc left the road and went down a three-foot embankment into a tree. Mrs. Gladys Heath, Fort Atkinson, was killed instantly and Gregory Tolin, Oconomowoc, died a few minutes after the accident from injuries.

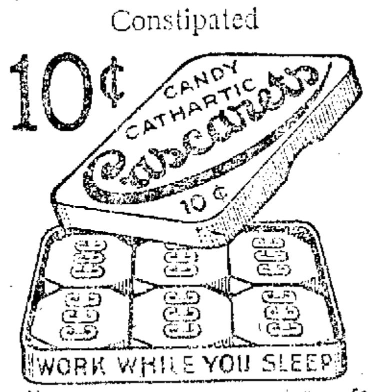
Near Beloit a woman was killed and her husband injured when their machine was struck by a Milwaukee road train.

A man identified as William H. Shade was killed by a heavy car while he was attempting to cross a street here.

BEST LAXATIVE FOR BOWELS

If Headachy, Bilious, Sick, Constipated

10¢



No griping or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cascarets." Sick Headache, Biliousness, Gases, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. Most harmless laxative for Men, Women and Children—10c boxes, also 25 and 50c sizes, any drug store.

HOUSTON COUNTY PLANS HIGHWAY PROGRAM FOR 1924

Grading and Bridge Work is Ordered on Five State Roads

CALEDONIA, Minn.—The board of Houston county commissioners at their regular meeting at Caledonia last week worked out and adopted the 1924 road improvement program. At the same session, some changes in the commissioner districts were discussed and it is believed that these changes will be brought about in the January session.

Winnebago, now a part of the Fifth district, would be added to the Third district and Black Hammer, would be taken from the Third and added to the Fifth. The following road improvements were ordered at the session:

State Road No. 3—Grading 1½ miles in town of Mayville, $12,810.00.

State Road No. 4—Grading and culverts in town of Spring Grove, $1,892.00.

State Road No. 2—Grading and bridge in Section 2, town of Money Creek, $7,167.00.

State Road Nos. 2 and 5—2,000 feet of guard rail, $1,012.00.

State Road No. 2—Culvert in Section 24, town of Caledonia, $355.00.

With Judge N. E. Peterson on the bench, District court for Houston county will convene Tuesday at Caledonia. This term promises to be a lively session in that the calendar is a lengthy one. The grand jury will meet also Tuesday and probe several Volstead violations and they will, undoubtedly, return some indictments. Six persons have applied for citizenships. They are: Frank Karl, John Scheil, John Anderson, Serine Skugi, Morit O. Sand and Anton Bahr. There are 23 civil actions and four criminal cases on the calendar. The Reno drainage project will be taken up at a later session of the court civil cases.

Miss Genivieve Guilliame and sister, Loretta, Miss Empson of Millbank, South Dakota, and Miss Klasoski of Little Falls, Minn., are spending their vacation from their studies at St. Teresa's college, with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Guilliame.

Manley Thompson, station agent at Spring Grove, came down Thursday to visit his brother, Alfred, and attend the dance.

William Mueller and Joe Donndelinger of La Crosse motored here Thursday and visited at the Gene Carrier home and attended the dance at the Union hall in the evening.

Mrs. O. C. Eve went to Hudson, Wis., to spend some time with her brother, Frank Bowers, and family.

J. C. Driscoll returned from St. Paul Wednesday evening where he accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cahill, Sr., to the Soldiers' Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hautzenbuhler and daughter and Mrs. Wm. Tschumper of La Crosse motored to Caledonia Sunday and spent the day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Klein.

Peter H. Koenig was a passenger to Spring Grove Friday evening.

Lawrence Carroll of New Albin attended the dance at the Union hall Thanksgiving.

Emmet Ryan went to La Crosse Monday where has secured employment.

Bernard J. McConville of La Crosse attended to business matters here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Birnbaum of La Crosse were Thanksgiving guests at the K. K. Howard home.

Andrew Gilbertson of Spring Grove attended to business matters at the county seat Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zimmerhakl attended the Christmas frolic at La Crosse Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Burtness and daughter, Martha, were La Crosse callers Friday.

The St. Peter High school will open their basketball schedule next Thursday evening at Rollingstone. The team has scheduled the following games:

Dec. 5—Rollingstone at Rollingstone.
Dec. 27—Waterville at Waterville.
Dec. 28—Lansing at Lansing.
Jan. 1—St. Peter Alumni at Caledonia.
Feb. 1—St. Mary's Academy, Owatonna at Caledonia.
Feb. 15—New Albin at New Albin.
Feb. 22—Lansing at Caledonia.
Feb. 29—New Albin at Caledonia.
March 7—Waterville at Caledonia.

Nasturtiums, marigolds and sunflowers are said by some botanists to cast a faint light around them, most noticeable on a warm, dry night, after a day of hot sunshine.

Advertisment

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold Right Up

Take two tablets every three hours until three doses are taken. The first dose always gives relief. The second and third doses completely break up the cold. Pleasant and safe to take. Contains no quinine or opiates. Millions use "Pape's Cold Compound." Price, thirty-five cents. Druggists guarantee it.

Those night attacks of coughing

STOP the first coughing spell with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey—then sleep returns. Dr. Bell's contains just the medicines that your own doctor prescribes for coughs—combined with the old-time remedy, pine-tar honey, so soothing to inflamed tissues and pleasing to the taste. Keep Dr. Bell's in easy reach of all the family.

All druggists. Be sure to get the genuine.

DR. BELL'S *Pine-Tar Honey*

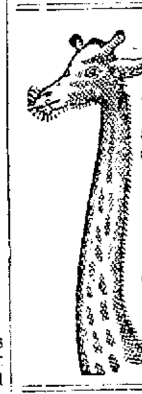
Advertisement

BEWARE THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

Chronic coughs and persistent colds lead to serious lung trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with twofold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and kills the germ.

Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by the medical fraternity as the greatest healing agency for the treatment of chronic coughs and colds and other forms of throat and lung troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and destroys the germs that lead to consumption.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of chronic coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, catarrhal bronchitis and other forms of throat and lung diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or the flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Creomulsion Co., Atlanta, Ga.



Big Booster Bazaar
Knights of Pythias
Clinton and Avon Streets
Dec. 5th to 8th.

See the wonderful line of
GREETING CARDS
at
SPURGEON'S

ATTEND THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BIG BAZAAR
Dec. 5th to 8th
CLINTON AND AVON STREETS

Every day we roast
JUMBO PEANUTS
5c bags; 25c a pound.
BODEGA CLUB

PARISIAN BOY'S SUICIDE CREATES CAPITAL SENSATION

Father of 14-year-old Wounded in Taxicab, Says Youth Murdered

PARIS,—By The Associated Press.—Not in many years has Paris had a sensation comparable with that afforded by the death of 14-year-old Philippe Daudet, who died in a hospital several days ago from the effect of wounds received in a taxicab.

The newspapers of a week ago said that the boy had committed suicide, but Leon Daudet, leader of the royalist movement in France and father of Philippe, is of the opinion that his son was murdered "by an atrocious plot," and has asked the public prosecutor to act on a article printed in Libertaire, the anarchist paper in which a visit of Philippe to the newspaper office was described.

Leon Daudet was told by the procurator-general that the boy's suicide has been established beyond a possible doubt and that it would be impossible for the judicial authorities to do anything further unless he made a charge against some definite or indefinite person, or could make a charge of corrupting a minor or of criminal libel against Libertaire. The father agreed to prefer charges.

U. S. OWNERSHIP OF RAILROADS HELD UNWISE

SAN FRANCISCO.—William G. McAdoo told members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen that he did not regard government ownership as the "wisest solution" of the American railway problem.

VOCATIONAL CONFERENCES

MADISON, Wis.—Ten conferences on various lines of vocational education will be held throughout the state under the meetings planned by the state vocational board, according to announcement by George P. Hambrecht, vocational director. Under the present plans of the board, the conferences will get under way the latter part of December and continue through January. The subjects listed for the ten conferences follow: Machine shop, electricity, cabinet making, pattern making, carpentry, automobiles, printing, drafting, commercial work and academic and related subjects.

STOP that cough before it begins—take SCOTT'S EMULSION

Imported CHINA WARE beautifully decorated, at prices sure to please.
SPURGEON'S

Would you believe that you could purchase a RACOON COAT, 36-in. in length, for $100.00? COME AND SEE!

FRED·W·KRUSE CO·

Women's, Misses' and Girls' Apparel.
Between 5th and 6th on Main

Announces for TOMORROW---Tuesday

Important COAT SALE

Priced for December Buying!

Fur Coats! Effective savings of one-fourth, one-third and one-half off of our regular prices.

See our window display of these Fur Coats. They make delightful Christmas gifts.

Gorgeous Cloth Coats

of exceeding smartness, enriched with large fur collars and cuffs, and many also with deep borders of fine furs.

$75 $100 $125

RARELY, if ever, has La Crosse seen such Coats of such distinctive quality and individuality at such remarkable prices. *Savings that are astonishing!*

Reduction Sale
of our
BETTER DRESSES
for street, daytime and informal wear.
$25 $35 $50
An opportunity to purchase a Dress of charming distinction in the foremost silk and cloth materials at greater savings than ever before.

Demand BAYER
ASPIRIN

SAY "BAYER" when you buy—*Genuine*

Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for

Colds Headache Neuralgia Lumbago
Pain Toothache Neuritis Rheumatism

Genuine Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid

MEYER'S GOOD HEALTH INSTITUTE

Using water therapeutically has been worked out for the last 15 years by CARL F. MEYER, N.D., D. C. (A Naturopathic practitioner of this city). The water cure is not as many people believe, a crude strenuous method at our INSTITUTE. WATER CURE is delicately organized water, one of the greatest curative agents if scientifically applied. Through the MEYER TONIC TREATMENT the effects of COLD AND WARM WATER are made available to the most feeble patient as well as the strongest. Our SYSTEM is not a cold WATER HORSE CURE, we use hot as well as cold applications. AS A TONIC WATER HAS NO SUPERIOR. Our TONIC SITZ BATH COLD FRICTION WET RUB. These are only a few of the numerous HYDRO THERAPEUTIC procedures which are daily in effective use as a part of THE MEYER HEALTH SYSTEM at the

MEYER'S GOOD HEALTH INSTITUTE

Sanitarium for Nature Cure and Chiropractic.
122 So. 10th St. Phone 407. La Crosse, Wis.

Impressive Music at Elks Memorial Service Sunday

By J. C. EASTON

The memorial service of the local Elks lodge was held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Rivoli theatre. This service is held the first Sunday in December of every year in honor of their departed brethren, and it might have been expected that more members would have shown their respect for an event of this kind by attending. There were not more than fifty people in the house.

The music consisted of two songs, a string quintet, and organ music. Mrs. Grace McLindon Bartl sang two impressive solos, "There is No Death," by O'Hara, and "In My Father's House are Many Mansions," by McDermit, in the devotional spirit demanded by the occasion. A string quintet played among other things, Tschaikowsky's beautiful "Andante Cantabile," from the quartet. Mr. Walter Gutzinger at the organ, played the prelude and postlude and an [illegible] throughout the [illegible] he [illegible] his instrument [illegible] and is very [illegible] master of all its effects.

Local News

[illegible] in St. Paul on [illegible]

Whitman's [illegible] at Levy's.

Don't forget the Knights of Pythias bazaar [illegible]

Personal Christmas greeting cards [illegible]

Geo. B. Rose [illegible] in both [illegible]

You must [illegible] home [illegible]

Paul Lutz's [illegible]

True Story [illegible]

For sale [illegible] and [illegible] Phone [illegible]

Scott's [illegible]

Geo. B. Rose, Inc., Jewelers. [illegible]

The Knights of Pythias [illegible]

Found [illegible] money [illegible] at Scott's [illegible]

The Flower Market. Majestic theatre alley.

Roller skating [illegible] G. G. Rink.

[illegible] Western.

Meet me [illegible] at the Knights of Pythias bazaar.

Geo. B. Rose, Inc., Jewelers. A suitable gift [illegible] Gift [illegible] styles [illegible]

Choice [illegible] Main.

Typewriters for rent, day, week or month. Inland Printing Co.

German [illegible]

Knights of Pythias bazaar December [illegible]

Geo. B. Rose, Inc., Jewelers. Pearl beads [illegible] mounted with [illegible] At bargain prices [illegible]

Office desk [illegible] $25.00. Inquire [illegible] Y. M. C. A. Annex.

W. [illegible] for [illegible]

Best Pianos in the world, grands and uprights. [illegible]

Dancing lessons [illegible] any hour, all [illegible]

Whitman's candy at Levy's.

Auction sale [illegible] farm [illegible] Wednesday [illegible]

Gloria face powder, Scott's, 50c.

Sale, [illegible] to the Knights of Pythias bazaar.

Wanted, carpet. We make good rag [illegible] Brussels, old [illegible] Give [illegible] a trial. Phone 2024-A. La Crosse Rug Co.

Sale of [illegible] work, aprons and other novelties for Christmas gifts. Mrs. [illegible] 1528 Jackson [illegible]

[illegible] Wisconsin Products Exposition at Milwaukee.

Four days of bargains at the Knights of Pythias bazaar.

Paul Lutz's fur coats make the finest kind of a present for Christmas.

Geo. B. Rose, Inc., Jewelers. Ladies' and gents' umbrellas in best quality, at [illegible] prices, large selection.

True Story out today. Levy's.

The Flower Market. Majestic theatre alley.

Best fun of the week at the Knights of Pythias bazaar.

The Mueller-Morley Auto company has completed extensive repairs on the front of its garage on North Sixth street, and now has a fine new show room for the Studebaker cars.

True Story out today. Levy's.

Geo. B. Rose, Inc., Jewelers. For the men, new designs in Sterling [illegible] Large selection to choose from.

Typewriters for rent, day, week or month. Inland Printing Co.

More than your money's worth at the Knights of Pythias bazaar.

Geo. B. Rose, Inc., Jewelers. Select your watch from our large selection at lowest prices. A deposit reserves the watch.

[illegible] Stone leaves tonight for Chicago on business.

In looking for a hat, better see what [illegible] has, 225 N. 7th.

Typewriters for rent, day, week or month. Inland Printing Co.

Paul Lutz has the finest collection of fur coats. 217 Main St.

Scott's cold and cleansing cream, better than [illegible], in jars, 50c and 55c.

Louis Hirschheimer leaves Tuesday for Milwaukee to attend the Wisconsin Products Exposition.

Whitman's candy at Levy's.

Rummage sale, Monday and Tuesday at 23 So. 23rd St. Dishes, kitchen utensils, clothing odds and ends.

Paul Lutz, the furrier, guarantees all of his fur coats.

Freight transferred to and from depots. No evening service. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 175 before 6 p. m.

Beautiful display Wednesday at the Knights of Pythias bazaar.

Gretchen Paustian has returned to Pine Mills after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Heideman.

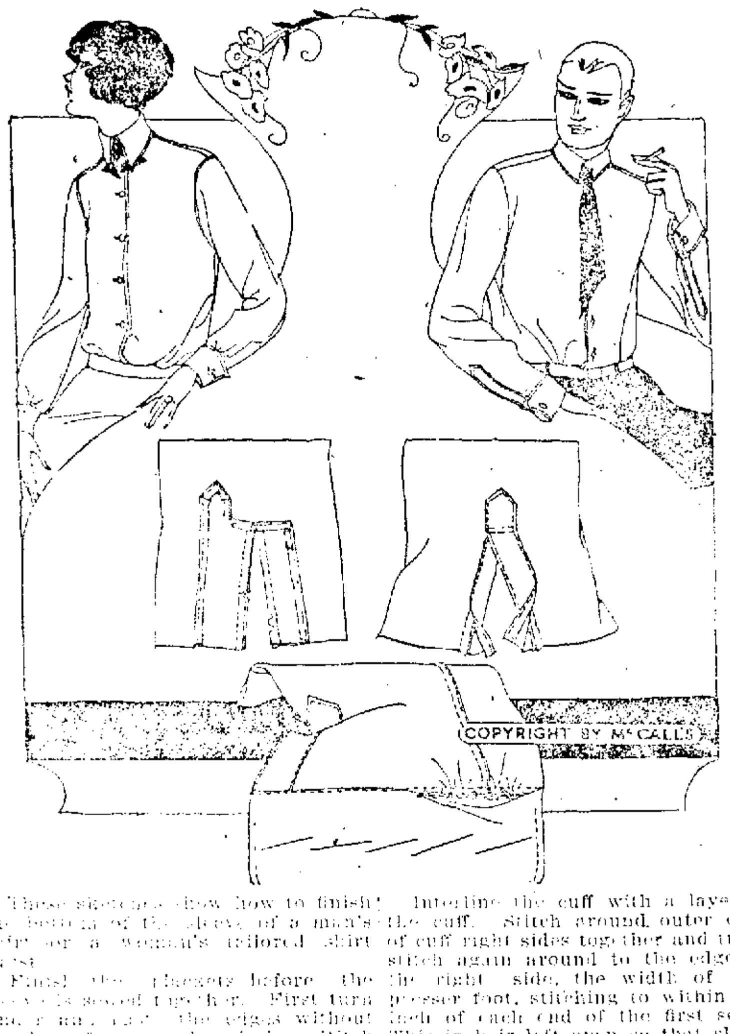
Do you need Christmas money? Here is your chance, if you have selling ability. Phone 1066-M.

Dorcas society annual Christmas bazaar, Tuesday afternoon and evening Dec. 4. Our Savior's Lutheran church. Lunch served.

Leon W. Smith of Tomahawk filed a petition in bankruptcy in United States court here with liabilities of $5181 and assets of $5244.

Geo. B. Rose, Inc., for Xmas cards.

How to Sew Shirt Sleeve Plackets and Cuffs



These sketches show how to finish the bottom of the sleeve of a man's shirt or a woman's tailored shirt waist.

Finish the plackets before the sleeve is sewed together. First turn the [illegible] the edges without notches of over and underlap. Stitch the notched [illegible] to the cut in the sleeve [illegible] right side of the [illegible] to the wrong side of the sleeve. Turn over the underlap and stitch other [illegible] to cover seam. Turn overlap on line indicated and stitch down to position.

Interline the cuff with a layer of the cuff. Stitch around outer edge of cuff right sides together and turn; stitch again around to the edge on the right side, the width of the presser foot, stitching to within one inch of each end of the first seam. This inch is left open so that sleeve may slip between the layers of the cuff to sleeve, gathers as indicated, stitching the under side of the cuff to the sleeve with the seam to the right side. Turn under the edge of the top side of the cuff and stitch down to cover first seam.

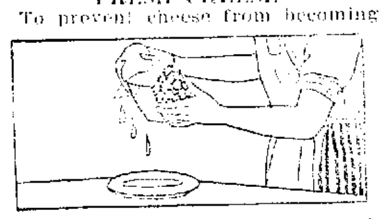
Household Suggestions

PAINT SPOTS

Paint or varnish spots on glass may be removed with turpentine or alcohol, or scraped off with a dull knife.

FRESH CHEESE

To prevent cheese from becoming



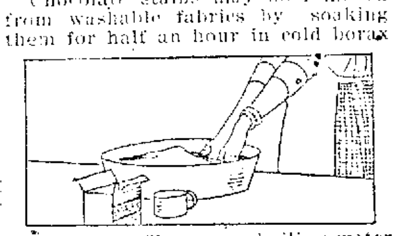
dry, rub it with butter and keep it closely covered.

KITCHEN CABINETS

Kitchen cabinets should be emptied of their contents at least once a month and washed thoroughly.

CHOCOLATE STAINS

Chocolate stains may be removed from washable fabrics by soaking them for half an hour in cold borax



and water. Then pour boiling water through the stain and wash in the ordinary way.

PIANO KEYS

Clean your piano keys with wood alcohol. If this is not available, the best substitute is clear warm water, with no soap.

CRACKED DISHES

The use of cracked or nicked dishes for holding food is most unsanitary as the cracks or chips make an excellent place for germs to lurk unless great care is exercised.

Society

ELIZABETH PACKMAN BECOMES BRIDE OF FRED W. VINGERS

MR. AND MRS. Harry Packman, 122 So. Ninth street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Emily, to Mr. Fred W. Vingers, which took place Saturday, December first, at Christ Episcopal church, the Rev. Robert D. Vinter officiating, and Miss Jennie Ortwein presiding at the organ. The bride was attended by her sisters, the Misses Marian and Winifred Packman, and Mrs. H. Kimball. Mr. H. Kimball served as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Vingers left on a late train for Chicago, where they will reside.

Friday evening Mrs. Christopher Thornton, 205 South Seventh street, entertained at her home at a pre-nuptial affair in honor of Miss Packman.

* * *

A PRETTY ceremony was solemnized Thanksgiving day at the parsonage of the Holy Trinity church, when Rev. Joseph Riesterer, the pastor, united in marriage Miss Marie Fuchs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fuchs, 1523 South Eighth street, and Mr. Edward Miller. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Angeline Fuchs, and Mr. Alfred Miller, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. The bride wore a gown of tan Canton crepe and a corsage bouquet of Ophelia roses and violets. The bridesmaid wore rose colored Canton crepe and a corsage bouquet of deep pink Ophelia roses and daisies. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will reside at 709½ Avon street.

* * *

MISS IRENE Ormsby returned on Monday to Beloit to resume her work as stenographer, after attending the marriage of her sister, Miss Ethel Ormsby. She was accompanied by her nephew, La Verne Borck.

* * *

THE FRENCH Island Home Makers' club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. F. Noreress for an all day session.

* * *

THE REGULAR meeting of the Spanish American War Veterans' Auxiliary will be held Tuesday evening at the rooms in the court house. Every member is requested to be in attendance as the annual election of officers will take place.

* * *

MRS. S. D. MAC MILLAN of Lake Charles, Iowa, and Parker MacMillan of New Orleans are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Viets, 1619 Main street.

* * *

MR. AND MRS. Adolph Seiler pleasantly entertained at a Thanksgiving dinner at their home on the State road. The day was passed playing cards, interspersed by vocal and instrumental music. At 1 o'clock dinner was served from two prettily decorated tables. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames George Hammes, Joseph Zanter, William Schlickenmeyer, William Zanter, Sr., and Walter Jagodzinski. Among the younger merrymakers were: Clarence, Billy, Marion and Jeelge, Jr., Hammes, Reuben, Adolph, Kathryn, Roman, Elmer, Bernard, Bobby and Dorothy Seiler and Margaret Jagodzinski.

* * *

MISS GRACE E. CAMERON is visiting at Chicago.

* * *

THE MEMBERS of the Idylewild club will met with Mrs. Charles Ryan, 1311 George street, Tuesday evening.

* * *

MR. AND MRS. William Wiedman entertained at six o'clock dinner Thanksgiving day in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stenberg of Clear Lake, Wis. Covers were laid for fourteen. The table was prettily decorated with pumpkins and oak leaves, and a large bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums centered the table. Cards, vocal and instrumental music offered diversion and the occasion was greatly enjoyed. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stenberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Panke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Panke and family, Mrs. Herman Panke and Messrs. Herman and Carl Panke. The Stenberg family motored here to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Marquardt.

* * *

MR. AND MRS. Joseph Ormsby, 529 South Third street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Ethel, to Mr. John P. Malay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Malay, which took place Thanksgiving day, at St. Mary's Catholic church, Dr. Robert B. Condon officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Malay will reside at Savanna, Ill., where the bridegroom is an employe of the C. B. & Q. R. R. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents.

* * *

DR. AND MRS. Eugene Brown and daughter, Edith, of Milwaukee, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown, 508 South Fifth street.

* * *

A MEETING of the College club will be held Friday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. Tea will be served and a program given.

NEW BRASSIERE

A new type of brassiere is made with criss-cross boning across the diaphragm. It is designed to give support where many women need it, and to give the flat silhouette so fashionable now.

BEAD EMBROIDERIES

Bead embroideries decorate the newest evening wraps. Even velvet brocades are occasionally embellished with colorful beads.

AIR CLOSETS

A closet should be aired when the rest of the house is aired, and should be cleaned when the room from which it leads is cleaned.

Men Trying to Discourage Women Delegates to Party Political Conventions

WASHINGTON, D. C.—There is a deep laid plot to discourage women from becoming delegates to the party conventions, it was whispered in Washington today.

"Women are too hysterical," complained the politicians. "They are apt to be easily stampeded in a close contest. The man who could make the greatest appeal to their emotions would win."

"Utterly ridiculous," said Mrs. Emily Newell Blair, the democratic leader in reply. "That's all nonsense about women being easily swept off their feet. As a matter of fact, women are more likely to stay put than the men. That was demonstrated out at San Francisco at the last democratic convention. The men were anxious to get on the band wagon with the winning candidate while the women were apt to stick by the man of their first choice no matter how the tide of ballots ran."

Women Fight for Delegateships

Now that women know that they will not be handed the delegateships on a silver platter, it is up to them to get out and fight for them, say their women leaders. This will be the first opportunity women have had to influence the choice of each party's nominee. Unless women become delegates to a reasonable degree, they argue, it can hardly be said that one-half of the voting population has been fairly represented in the presidential fight.

"Get Chosen Now" Urge Women

"Do it now," urge women politicians. "Attend all party meetings in your precinct or county and let it be known that you want to go to the state conventions, if that is the way delegates are chosen in your state. There are several different methods of choosing delegates. Call on your neighbors, kiss all of the babies and do all of the things a practical politician does to get himself chosen."

Surely adding more women to the convention bodies will not add greater pandemonium than always exists at party conventions with the male predominant.

Women Pull Together

"When the time comes when the delegations are beginning to split up, the women are nor any more likely to pull out at a critical moment than the men," says Mrs. Blair. "They will stand hitched as long or longer than the men. I remember out at San Francisco one delegation which had the unit rule and their experience with the women in that delegation. According to the unit rule there had to be a majority of one for a candidate before the delegation could vote. There were eight in the delegation, four men and four women. There had to be a majority of five in order to ballot.

The four men wanted to pick a winner and were for Cox. The women voted steadily for McAdoo although the balloting was going steadily against him. In order to vote the delegation it was necessary to win one woman over to the men's side or visa versa. Afterwards I met one of the men and asked him if the delegation voted for Cox. 'Hell no,' he answered, 'we voted for McAdoo.'"

FRINGE TRIMMING

Wool fringe is one of the latest means of trimming cloth frocks. It may be of the same shade as the gown, or it may be in a shade of beige or gray.

WAXED FLOORS

To keep a waxed floor in good condition always sweep it with a good hair brush and dust with a dry mop.

Save your fly swatters. Very handy for spanking the children on lonely winter afternoons.

NORMAL GIRLS TAKE A THIRTY-TWO MILE HIKE

Walking Popular Sport at the Normal School This Fall. Girls Do Marathon to Winona

Hiking is a popular sport with some of the Normal students this fall. This week end eighteen ambitious girls undertook to do a marathon to Winona. At six-thirty o'clock on a dark morning the girls, led by Miss Dorothey Ellenz, hike leader, and chaperoned by Miss Emma Wilder, director of athletics for women at the Normal, gathered in Burns park.

Clad in sweaters, boots and knickers, the girls started forth on their thirty-two mile walk. A few of the party only hiked two-thirds of the way owing to slight mishaps, but the rest of the girls kept gayly on.

At La Moille the hikers stopped two hours for lunch and rest. A regular out of doors meal was prepared over a fire, beans and bacon, with bread.

The hikers reached Winona about a quarter of six, and put up at the Y. W. C. A. for the night. The following girls were in the party: Misses Martha Sorenson, Margaret Hibbard, Peg Stewart, Vera Borgstrom, Ethel Cook, Ruth Harris, Alice Sims, Dorothey Berg, Mary Bordeau, Margarite Gantenbein, Lorraine Olle, Jean Fergusen, Jeanette Behrend, Mary Ellingson, Amos Horton, with the leader, Dorothey Ellenz, and chaperon, Miss Emma Wilder.

YELLOWED CLOTHES

Clothes that have become yellow from lying around may be whitened by boiling in water to which kerosene has been added in the proportion of a tablespoon to a gallon of water.

Combing Won't Rid Hair Of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone and two or three more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store and it never fails to do the work.

2 TABLETS Every 3 Hours
BREAKS THAT COLD
Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine will break your cold in one day. Taken promptly it prevents colds, la grippe and pneumonia. Demand red box bearing Mr. Hill's portrait. All druggists. Price 30c.
HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE
W. H. HILL CO. DETROIT, MICH. (B-20)

Telephone me to come 'round and show you the finest Xmas gifts you could possibly give to any one
Fuller Brushes
in sets, in attractive holly boxes. Write or phone me to come around and show them to you. No obligation to buy unless you want to.
Fuller D. C. DEWEY
830 So. 4th. Phone 1848-Black
Local Representative.

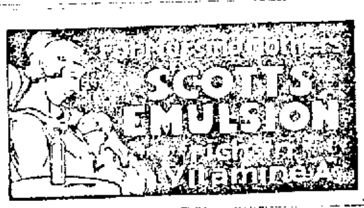
Boys Today— Men Tomorrow.

If you will give each of your boy friends a Gilbert Toy this Christmas you will not only have the best Christmas you ever had, but as a result, the boys that you present these toys to, will pay you one thousand percent in the satisfaction you will have when you see them develop into real men who are making good in life.

There are wonderful Gilbert Toys for all kinds of scientific fun, as well as all kinds of magic outfits and sets to perform tricks with coins, handkerchiefs and cards. There is a Gilbert Toy for every boy. They range in price from $1 to $30.

Come in and see them.

Tillman Bros.
GILBERT TOYS.



Advertisement
FOR STIFF JOINTS

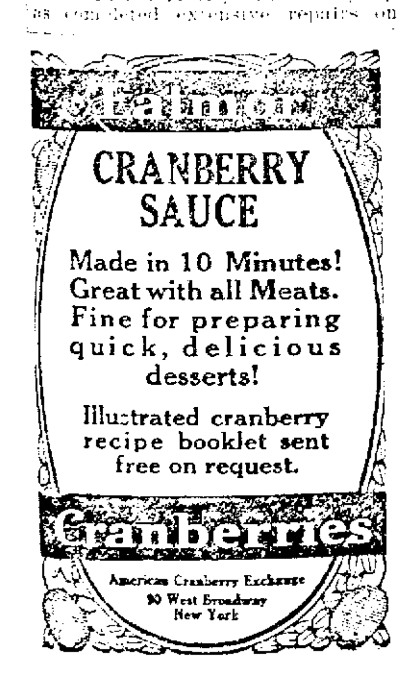
Pharmacists say that when all other so-called remedies fail Joint-Ease will succeed.

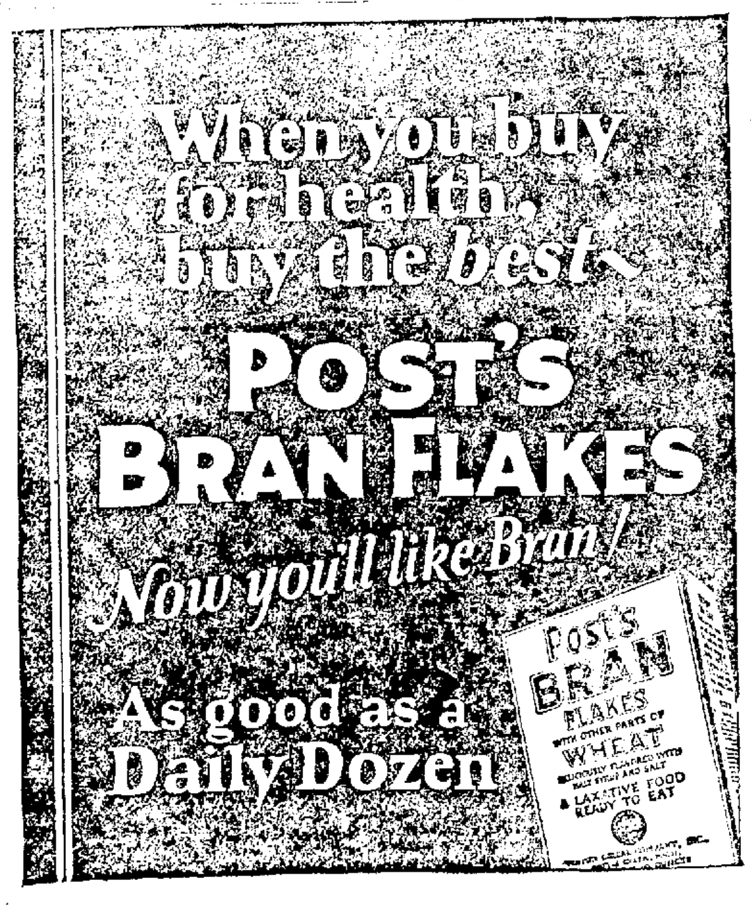
It's for joint ailments only—that is why you are advised to use it for sore, painful, inflamed, rheumatic joints.

Joint-Ease limbers up the joints—is clean and stainless and quick results are assured—Sixty cents a tube at all druggists everywhere.

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES
You Cannot Buy New Eyes
But you can Promote a Clean, Healthy Condition. Use Murine Eye Remedy "Night and Morning."
Keep your Eyes Clean, Clear and Healthy.
Write for Free Eye Care Book.
Murine Eye Remedy Co., 9 East Ohio Street, Chicago

GLAD TU MEAT CHU
At JEHLEN'S
SUGAR CURED HAMS
First Cuts, at per pound 25c
Center Cuts, at per pound 35c





Big Booster Bazaar
Knights of Pythias
Clinton and Avon Streets
Dec. 5th to 8th.

BEST QUALITY
JUMBO PEANUTS
Roasted fresh daily.
BODEGA CLUB

INDIAN and BATHROBE BLANKETS at very attractive prices, at
SPURGEON'S.

ATTEND THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BIG BAZAAR
Dec. 5th to 8th
CLINTON AND AVON STREETS

UKELELE CLUB
Y. W. C. A. MONDAY NIGHT
Beginners, 7 to 8 P. M.
Advanced, 8 to 9.
12 lessons, $3.00.

It will pay you to see our line of TOYS, BOOKS and GAMES first.
SPURGEON'S.

CHRISTMAS CARDS
AT HOESCHLER'S
We have one of the largest and finest selections in the Northwest. Select yours NOW. We also take orders for engraved cards.

DIAMONDS BOUGHT FOR CASH.
Bring them in for a cash value.
GEO. B. ROSE, Inc.
JEWELER.

Phone 71
Sletten & Dahl
FUNERAL DIRECTORS.
211 So. Sixth St.

Fresh Oysters
STANDARDS and SELECTS
PRICES LOWER
New Car Sweet FLORIDA ORANGES
California SUNKIST NAVELS
John C. Burns
Fruit House

PINCHOT PROPOSES STATES MAKE COAL BUSINESS UTILITY

Sends Outline of His Coal Regulation Plan to the Governors

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Details of his plan for a compact of states to regulate the anthracite coal industry, which Governor Pinchot proposed last Monday at a conference here of representatives of anthracite consuming states, were made public by the governor Monday. The complete outline was sent to the other executives, together with an invitation to another meeting here on December 13.

Governor Pinchot proposed among other things the following:

Declare the coal business within the ratifying states, a public utility, which Governor Preus of Minnesota last week asked that Pennsylvania alone do.

Create a joint commission of five if the federal government does not ratify the compact and seven if it does, the president in the atter case to appoint one member and the governor of Pennsylvania, in any case, to appoint one, the others to be chosen by the ratifying states, each having weight in proportion to the percentage of coal consumed.

Create a Pennsylvania coal commission, to have wide powers to investigate and regulate the industry.

He proposed to confer on the joint commission greater powers to control the industry, giving it the right to investigate all phases of the business, such as costs, profits, wages and salaries, authority to fix prices and to require uniform accounts and reports and to fix standards of coal; power to license dealers and to apportion the coal supply and to recommend to the interstate commerce commission changes in freight rates and allotment of railway facilities. The plan also would give the commission the right to raise revenue for salaries and expenses by a specific tax per ton.

EXPRESS CHARGES ORDERED BACK TO LEVELS OF 1920

I. C. C. Refuses Increase Asked and Orders Reduction of Ten Per Cent Instead

WASHINGTON.—New bases for the application of the interstate express rates were laid down today by the interstate commerce commission in a decision which refused the American Railway Express company the right to make general increases which it asked. Express companies were ordered to establish new schedules on or before February 21.

Present interstate express rates applied to food articles of nearly all kinds, the commission held, are too high and should be reduced by amounts ranging from ten to eleven per cent. The companies were required to install charges equal to those in effect on October 12, 1920, when increases to present levels were made.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

The closing was irregular. Strength of Liggett and Myers Tobacco and Marland Oil issues featured the late dealings, the popular industrials continuing to show a heavy tone. Sales approximated 1,000,000 shares.

Closing prices:

Allied Chemical and Dye	66½
American Can	103
American Car and Foundry	161½
American International Corp.	29¾
American Locomotive	73
American Smelting and Refining	59
American Sugar	56
American T. and T.	125
American Tobacco	147½
American Woolen	73⅝
Anaconda Copper	38
Atchison	97
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indies	16
Baldwin Locomotive	125⅛
Baltimore and Ohio	58½
Bethlehem Steel	53
California Petroleum	22⅞
Canadian Pacific	145⅛
Central Leather	11¾
Cerro de Pasco Copper	45¼
Chandler Motors	54½
Chesapeake and Ohio	[illegible]
Chicago and Northwestern	62⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul, pfd	24⅝
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	24⅝
Chile Copper	26⅞
Chino Copper	16½
Consolidated Gas	60¼
Corn Products	131¼
Cosden Oil	[illegible]
Crucible Steel	65⅞
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd	32¾
Erie	[illegible]
Famous Players-Lasky	[illegible]
General Asphalt	36⅞
General Electric	[illegible]
General Motors	13⅞
Great Northern, pfd	50⅛
Gulf States Steel	81¼
Illinois Central	[illegible]
Inspiration Copper	26¼
International Harvester	77
Int. Mer. Marine pfd	36⅞
International Paper	33
Invincible Oil	10⅝
Kelly-Springfield Tire	[illegible]
Kennecott Copper	[illegible]
Lima Locomotive	61½
Louisville and Nashville	86¼
Mack Truck	[illegible]
Marland Oil	[illegible]
Maxwell Motors "B"	[illegible]
Middle States Oil	[illegible]
Missouri, Kan. and Tex. (new)	[illegible]
Missouri Pacific, pfd	[illegible]
New York Central	[illegible]
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	11
Norfolk and Western	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]
Pacific Oil	[illegible]
Pan American Petroleum "B"	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	[illegible]
People's Gas	[illegible]
Producers and Refiners	[illegible]
Pure Oil	20
Reading	[illegible]
Republic Iron and Steel	48⅝
Sears Roebuck	[illegible]
Sinclair Con. Oil	[illegible]
Southern Pacific	[illegible]
Southern Railway	[illegible]
Standard Oil of N. J.	[illegible]
Studebaker Corporation	[illegible]
Texas Co.	[illegible]
Texas and Pacific	[illegible]
Tobacco Products	[illegible]
Transcontinental Oil	[illegible]
Union Pacific	[illegible]
United Retail Stores	[illegible]
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	[illegible]
United States Rubber	[illegible]
United States Steel	[illegible]
Utah Copper	[illegible]
Westinghouse Electric	[illegible]
Willys-Overland	[illegible]
American Zinc	[illegible]
Nevada Con. Copper	[illegible]
Ray Con. Copper	[illegible]
White Eagle Oil	[illegible]

IOWA, OHIO AND NORTHWESTERN AT MADISON IN '24?

MADISON, Wis.—Hope for arranging a suitable home schedule for the 1924 football season for Wisconsin was expressed Monday by Athletic Director T. E. Jones.

Director Jones declined to state with what conference teams negotiations are under way. Three conference tilts, with Michigan, Minnesota and Chicago, all to be played on foreign fields, were arranged at the conference meeting in Chicago Saturday. Ohio, Iowa and Northwestern are mentioned as possible opponents for the Badgers.

HOOPER OPPOSES TINKERING WITH RAILROAD LAWS

CHICAGO, Ill.—A breathing spell in which to complete readjustment and prepare for the expansion of facilities "and not political tinkering," is the present need of the railroads, said a statement issued by Ben W. Hooper, chairman of the railroad labor board. The public cannot hope to be benefitted by a "frantic alternation of legislative experiments affecting the railways," the statement added.

Upholds Labor Board

"Insofar as the labor provision of the Transportation Act is concerned, it represents the coordinated efforts of both political parties to diminish the number of railroad strikes by affording the public an opportunity to see the inside of the labor controversies and to pass upon their merits," continued the statement. "To deprive the public of this right would restore to unrestrained physical force the power to dominate transportation.

"The purpose of those who are asking congress to exclude the public from its legal and natural right to participate in the adjustment of labor controversies in an industry so essentially public is quite obvious. Since the enactment of the Transportation act no railway strike has succeeded and but few have been attempted. The decisions of the Labor Board, though merely advisory, have been respected to a remarkable degree both by the railroads and their employes.

Settles Many Disputes

"The board has disposed of 10,871 disputes, and omitting the so-called contract cases which involve a question now in litigation, only 8 of the 201 Class One carriers have been formally declared by the Board violators of its decisions.

"There have been four local strikes of minor importance and one of great magnitude, the shop strike of 1922. The shop strike really served a useful purpose, notwithstanding its disastrous effects. It strengthened the Transportation Act by demonstrating that a railroad strike cannot succeed against public sentiment and that public sentiment is likely to support the decisions of a tribunal fairly constituted upon which the public is represented.

BLAINE PREDICTS LABOR CONTROL OF NATION'S FINANCE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Railroad brotherhoods in conjunction with other labor organizations have done much to promote the public safety through bringing about effective legislation and through a system of labor banks started by the brotherhoods, the country's workers may yet gain control of the financial and credit system of the United States.

This is a summary of the declarations of Gov. John J. Blaine speaking at the fiftieth anniversary of the brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen here Sunday night.

"I sometimes fear that the propaganda that is sent out by those who are adverse to the public weal may have led some people at times to believe that your activity in promoting safety legislation has been for your special benefit," said the governor. "Time and experience have demonstrated, I am sure, to the people at large, that the protective legislation advanced by your organization has made for the safety of the great mass of the public who travel upon the railroads of today. With the constant speeding up process of transportation its increased volume, the increase in the number of the traveling public, and the general increase in hazards, had not the safety and protective legislation been brought about thousands of innocent people would be the victims of accident, entailing a tremendous loss in life and in accumulating misery and distress."

CARDS PLAY MILLIKEN

MADISON, Wis.—Wisconsin will open its basketball schedule here against Milliken college, Decatur, Ill., December 8, it was announced Monday by Dr. Walter E. Meanwell, basketball coach. Arrangements have just been completed for the Milliken game. The Illinois team is coached by Rollie Williams, former Wisconsin football and basketball star.

DIES IN CHURCH

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Isaac Davidson Morgan, 79, civil war veteran, died as he sat in a pew in the Highland Park Christian church here Sunday night, just before he was called upon for a speech to be made in presenting an American flag as a gift to the congregation from the members of his post.

BIG GAS WELL BROUGHT IN

MORGANTOWN, W. V.—A gas well, flowing more than four million feet a day has been brought in the 160-foot field near Mount Morris, Pa., by the Shannon Creek Oil company it was announced Monday. The gas was found in the Big Injun sand ninety-seven feet from the surface.

I. C. C. REFUSES TO THROW OUT RESULT OF VALUATION JOB

Turn-down for La Follette Valuation Conference Proposal

WASHINGTON.—The interstate commerce commission Monday refused a demand that it reconsider all of its work in the physical valuation of the country's railroads.

Petitions making such a demand presented by the national conference on valuation of American railroads which is headed by Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, were dismissed.

The conference sought to have the commission establish the original cost of property investment and labor in railroads, as well as other data. All the existing valuation work of the commission was attacked as unsound. The commission's decision Monday held that it was practically impossible to find the facts as to the expenditures actually made by railroads in the period of their early history.

Must Limit Cost

"These must be some limit to our expenditures of public funds in research," the decision said. "We are of the opinion that our present course has been in substantial compliance with the valuation statute."

Commissioners Eastman and McManamy dissented. Commissioner Potter, although concurring in the decision, suggested that the commission had taken "far too seriously the burden of finding the original costs."

137 BODIES FOUND IN BERGAMO FLOOD REGION OF ITALY

Troops and Civilians Work all Night Seeking 600 Victims

BERGAMO, Italy—By The Associated Press.—One hundred thirty-seven bodies had been recovered early Monday from the Bergamo valley country, 600 of whose inhabitants are believed to have been drowned when the great dike enclosing the waters of Gleno lake collapsed Saturday.

Troops and civilian rescue parties worked throughout the night in the mud and water seeking the victims of the deluge over an area of fifty square miles and endeavoring to give aid and comfort to thousands who have been made homeless by the disaster. King Victor Emmanuel is expected to visit the scene Monday.

Hundreds of homes, including the entire villages of Dezzo, Corna and Bueggio, were destroyed by the ten million cubic yards of water that swept from the artificial glacial lake.

Torrential rains of the past weeks made the pressure against the Gleno dike greater than the four-mile wall could withstand and although the masonry was thirty-five yards thick the dike went out and the water thundered down the valley sweeping all before it.

A cold wave which has swept down from the Alps has made relief work arduous. Fifteen squadrons of the national militia are on the ground rendering aid.

DAMAGE IS ESTIMATED AT $175,000; FIRE FIGHTERS RESCUE TRAPPED SISTER

(Continued from page one)

scouted by Sister Theodora, one of the officers of the community, and by Father Beyer. Both said that there was no warning whatever, and that the fire was well advanced when it was discovered. Sister Theodora said that she was in the room of Mother Ludovica, superior of the order, when she heard the alarm, and that at that time the flames were breaking through the dormer windows in the attic on the Ninth street side. The only noise that was noted was the fall of plaster from the ceiling on the third floor a little later. The flames spread quickly, due to the construction of the building, which was of brick veneer, with a great deal of wood in partitions and roof construction. The building was constructed in 1869-70, and all of its material was dry and inflammable except the brick outer walls. The open attic extending along the unused top floor, beneath the roof, served as a tunnel through which the south wind drove the flames, with the metal roof serving to confine the fire and prevent access by the firemen.

Sister Ledwina Missed

The alarm that Sister Ledwina was missing went up several hours after the fire had been raging in the building, and her loss from among the number was not discovered until preparations to take many of the elder sisters to Sparta were being made. Firemen and scores of others aiding in the salvaging of property were given the word and search was immediately begun.

Sister Ledwina had been on duty in the chapel of Perpetual Adoration between 10 and 11 o'clock, following which she retired to straighten things about her room on the third floor of the old structure. Search was confined to this section of the building and soon a party of workers had uncovered her charred body from underneath the debris.

Found in Hallway

That Sister Ledwina had attempted escape and been overcome by heat and smoke as she was about to descend the stairway, was the belief of firemen and workers. Her body was found in the hallway, just two doors distant from her own room, and six short paces from the head of the stairway, which, had she gained it, would have led her to safety. It was believed she had hurriedly attempted to gather a few personal things from her room, and the position of her body indicated she was making for the stairway when overcome.

Fire Chief McGlachlin directed the silent contingent of firemen and workers in the removal of the body from its charred grave of ashes and debris, down the corridors of the north wing to the east end of the building.

Boy Scouts Help

The Boy Scouts rendered yeoman service during the fire and throughout the afternoon, assisting sisters in removing their belongings from the watersoaked rooms to other places about the building, and in guarding the entrances from the court-yard. D. W. MacWillie, president of the scouts, said there were about 150 boys on duty throughout the afternoon. Mr. MacWillie directed their work.

The scouts also supplied firemen with hot coffee and sandwiches.

Chief McGlachlin on Monday morning complimented the Boy Scouts on their discipline and the orderly manner in which they performed their work. The leaders of the scouts also were complimented by the chief for their direction of the work of the scouts.

St. Rose convent is the mother house of the Order of Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration, founded at Jefferson, Wis., in the '50s. The order numbers 650 nuns, with about 80 novices and postulants. They have convents, schools and houses of residence in Wisconsin, Iowa, Washington, Idaho and Montana, outside of La Crosse, their chief seat being a boarding school and hospital at Carroll, Iowa.

St. Francis hospital, in this city, is one of the order's largest properties.

The order established its headquarters in La Crosse in 1870, the building which burned having been started in 1869. The central wing in which the fire started was the first building erected, with the Market street wing added a few years later. The famous St. Rose chapel, one of the most expensive and ornate churches in the middle west, was built in 1906, and the east addition, the newest part of the convent, was constructed in 1921.

Sisters Find Quarters

With practically all of the living quarters of the convent ruined either by fire, smoke or water, the 135 homeless sisters of the community offered a problem to the authorities of the order. The question was settled by dispatching the sisters in small parties to various religious houses in the city and vicinity. Some went to St. Joseph's ridge convent, some to St. Francis hospital nurses' home, some to St. Clara's convent on the north side, and the residence of Bishop McGavick was thrown open for others. Some of the older sisters were taken to Sparta.

Hundreds of offers of rooms in the homes of local residents were made to the sisters as soon as word of the fire spread over the town, the hospital office being besieged with phone calls of this nature. It was found unnecessary, however, to accept any of these offers.

To Rebuild at Once

St. Rose convent will be rebuilt at once.

This was the statement of Father Killan G. Beyer, chaplain of the convent, Sunday evening after the fire. As soon as the fire insurance adjusters have viewed the ruins and appraised the damage the work of reconstructing the home of the order will get under way.

It is hoped that practically all of the building will remain, since the damage of the fire was confined to the third floor, attic and roof. Other portions of the convent were badly damaged by smoke and water, but it is believed that these may be renovated and restored to service without great expense. All of the walls remain standing, owing to the quick work of the fire department, which was able to check the blaze on the third floor and prevent the collapse of any other portion of the structure than the roof.

The convent was insured, but it is not believed that the insurance will be sufficient to cover the entire cost of reconstruction.

Rescue a Thriller

The rescue of Sister Puneretia, portress of the convent, afforded a dramatic spectacle to the thousands who were gathered watching the battle with the flames. Sister Puneretia was trapped in her room by smoke and flames which made the stairways impassable, and throwing open her window she called to the firemen in the street below. The crowd caught sight of her first and the roar that went up quickly attracted the attention of the members of No. One Company, which was in Market street.

Truckman Jack Britton and Pipeman Oscar Bay of Central Station dashed to the rescue with a ladder which they quickly ran up to the third floor window where the sister stood, calmly awaiting rescue. Bay was first up the ladder, and jumping into the room he lowered the form of the sister across the shoulder of Britton, who carried her carefully to the ground.

Sister Puneretia was unhurt, although badly checked up from smoke and thanked her rescuers when the descent had been made. She was taken to the hospital but was none the worse for her experience. Sister Leopoldina, who collapsed from excitement, was also taken to the hospital during the fire, but was about again a few hours later.

CAUSE OF FIRE NOT DETERMINED SAYS FIRE CHIEF

(Continued from page one)

ball, superintendent at the city pumping station, 1,922,000 gallons of water was pumped between 11 o'clock in the morning and 7 o'clock in the evening. Mr. Kimball stated the station was able to gain water in the reservoir during all the time of the fire. There was 17 feet of water in the reservoir Sunday afternoon, and a pressure of 105 pounds, Mr. Kimball said.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent illness and death of our beloved brother and father. Especially do we thank Rev. Father Leuther, Wm. Dwyer, the pallbearers and those who sent floral offerings.

Miss Emma Wachter, Mr. John H. Wachter, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sheets.

WALTON SEEKING TO BAR JUDGE, GETS CHANGE OF VENUE

Counsel for Former Governor of Oklahoma Makes Motion on Arraignment

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—By The Associated Press.—A motion to disqualify District Judge George W. Clark, before whom indictments were returned recently by a grand jury against J. C. Walton, former governor, was filed by counsel for Walton, when he appeared for arraignment Monday.

The motion would bar Judge Clark from any participation in the case. Walton also filed an application for a change of venue.

The former executive is charged in five counties with diverting public funds through having his former personal chauffeur, T. F. Edwards, placed on the payroll of the state health department. He is charged in one indictment with preventing a meeting of the state legislature. Both accusations constitute felonies.

A misdemeanor charge, alleging that he used military measures to bar the assembling of a grand jury, is pending in county court.

A motion to quash was filed by attorneys for Edwards, whose arraignment was scheduled simultaneously with that of Walton.

LAWRENCE HOLDS INSURGENTS WON'T LINE UP DEMOCRATS

(Continued from page one)

than any other, simply because they have formed a minority bloc. He is inclined to leave it to the republican conference to decide. In the contest for important places on committees, a breakdown of the seniority rule means a scramble—every man for himself. Agreements and understandings, individual barter for places, involves indefinite delay. Only a rule that applies equally to all can save a situation like the present.

La Follette Seriously Ill?

Meanwhile Senator Robert La Follette, leader of the insurgent forces in congress, who wields the greatest influence with the minority bloc inside the republican party in the house, is confined to his home. The report now is that he has influenza, but he has been secluded so long and even his friends see so little of him that it is rumored the aged senator from Wisconsin is not physically strong enough to be the important factor in congress this year his supporters had hoped. He is nearly 70 years old. He has fought legislative battles nearly all his life. He never, however, has had the control of a legislative situation in congress such as he holds today.

The title of the group which is supporting La Follette will probably be "insurgent republican." There has been a tendency to call them "progressives" but on analysis it will be found that the split is more along "radical" and "extremist lines" than anything else, with the present day conservatives anxious to be known as the party of progress. Indeed, the regulars think the "radicals" have set out to obstruct progress, and that if the latter do not wish to assist the republican party in making a constructive program, they could select no better tactics than to force congress into chaos and disorganization at the very outset.

COOPER GETS 17 VOTES FOR SPEAKER 198 TO GILLETT

(Continued from page one)

ator Lodge of Massachusetts as their leader.

Legislative issues were not discussed at the democratic meeting.

"While we are not prepared and do not propose at this time to assume the responsibility which devolves upon the majority to take the initiative respecting the details of legislation," said Senator Robinson afterward, "it is expected that our organization will stand for a material reduction in taxes and for aggressive measures to effectuate retrenchment in public expenditures.

"The transportation question is worthy of careful study and decisive action. Practical and well considered measures for the relief of conditions among farmers will receive sympathetic attention. Proposals advanced for the adjustment of international conditions are to be disposed of without partisanship."

La Follette Too Ill to Attend

Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, the recognized leader of the progressive block was the only absentee when the roll was called in the senate. He has been ill for several days and probably will be unable to attend senate sessions before next week. The new senators and those re-elected at the last election took the oath of office administered by Senator Cummins, while crowds which overflowed the galleries looked on.

Mrs. Coolidge, wife of the president, was seated with several friends in the president's gallery.

Balloting for speaker in the house was delayed while the clerk went through the long formality of calling the roll by states, to determine whether a quorum was present. In the galleries there were packed, too, the crowd extending into adjoining corridors.

HEAVY RAINS IN TEXAS

FORT WORTH, Tex.—Many sections of west Texas are isolated today as the result of the continuous rains and snows of almost a week. Roads are impassable.

Relief for coughs
Use PISO'S—this prescription quickly relieves children and adults.
A pleasant syrup. No opiates.
35c and 60c sizes sold everywhere.

STATE BOARD TO HOLD HEARINGS IN THIS CITY

The industrial commission of Wisconsin will hold hearings here December 12 and 13 on claims for compensation. The hearings will be held in the court house. Following is the calendar:

Wm. Rollins vs. White Construction company.
John Shorrel vs. La Crosse Cooperage company.
George A. Dialler vs. State of Wisconsin.
Belle Johnson vs. La Crosse Telephone company.
John J. Devitt vs. Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway company.
Oscar W. Henninger vs. M. Erickson Bakery Co.
Ed Allendorf vs. Monroe county.
Fred Bachman vs. Yellow Cab company.

YEOMEN INSURGE AT HIGHER RATE UPON INSURANCE

DES MOINES, Ia.—Allegations against the officers and directors of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen contained in a petition filed Sunday by six insurance policy-holders of the society, were declared false and characterized as just a "little insurgency" in a statement today by George N. Frink of Des Moines, president of the Brotherhood and one of those named as defendants by the petition.

The petitioners, holders of policies issued under the initial founding plan of the company, seek to enjoin the officers and directors from enforcing forfeiture of their memberships or policies in the society for failure to pay assessments at higher rates than heretofore and they contend that the society is attempting to change from fraternal insurance to old line insurance, and to penalize members who prefer to keep their policies in the original form.

Mr. Frink declared no effort to change the form of policies had been made except as required by the insurance commissioners of the state in which the society operates.

IMMELL PROPOSES M'COY TO COMMAND RER ARROW OUTFIT

MADISON, Wis.—Brig. Gen. Robert B. McCoy of Sparta, Wis., leader in Wisconsin national guard activities for a number of years, is the state's nomination for commander of the Thirty Second Division of the National Guards, including Michigan and Wisconsin units. Adjutant General Ralph M. Immell announced today. General Immell has recommended to the war department that McCoy be named to the commandership of the Wisconsin-Michigan division.

Reports here indicate that McCoy probably will be named to the post. Recommendations were made to the war department by adjutants general of the two states. The war department, however, has left the matter to the two officials. Guy Wilson, Michigan guard leader, is the Michigan nomination for the position.

General McCoy organized the Fifth Division of Wisconsin, Natonel Guards. During the world war, he commanded the 128th Infantry, Thirty Second division, overseas. He has been prominent in guard activities for ten years.

40 ENGLISH MINERS KILLED WHEN CAGE FALLS TO BOTTOM

SHEFFIELD, Eng.—Forty men are reported to have been killed and many injured in an accident at the Nunnery mine, when several cages used in transporting the men from the surface to the workings were precipitated to the bottom through the breaking of a rope. It is reported that 176 miners were in the cages when they fell.

ROB CLOTHIER AS CROWDS STROLL BY

SUPERIOR, Wis.—Daring thieves Sunday backed a truck up to a rear door of the Brandser clothing store here between eight and ten o'clock and rolled away unmolested with men's clothing valued at $5,000.

The robbery occurred while the Main street, in front of the store was thronged with Sunday night crowds. Very little of the stolen goods was covered by insurance.

Police are without a clew to the indentity of the robbers.

They say poets are born. Sounds like poets. Trying to lay the blame on their parents.

Rely on Cuticura To Clear Away Skin Troubles
Soap to cleanse, Ointment to soothe, Talcum to powder, 25c. Samples of Cuticura, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.

JUMBO PEANUTS
We roast them just right.
5c bags; 25c a pound.
BODEGA CLUB

Big Booster Bazaar
Knights of Pythias
Clinton and Avon Streets
Dec. 5th to 8th.

BOB'S BOOSTERS SEEKING MAJORITY AT S. D. CONVENTION

Progressives Meet to Consider Plans to Battle Johnson and Coolidge

PIERRE, S. D.—A move to secure the majority presidential endorsement of the republican state proposal convention for Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin was inaugurated here Monday by a group of progressive republicans.

A meeting of La Follette supporters was called to consider plans for the convention fight against the supporters of Senator Hiram Johnson and President Coolidge.

While the strength of the La Follette republicans has not yet been measured, there are many within the G. O. P. ranks who admit that the Wisconsin senator's bloc may yield the all-important balance of power and thus influence the selections for the state ticket.

The race between Governor W. H. McMaster and Senator Thomas Sterling for the senatorial nomination thus far has been viewed by republican leaders as about even and for this reason the entry of the La Follette bloc is considered significant.

The chief center of interest in the democratic convention maneuvering is the determined efforts of elements in both parties to effect fusion between the democrats and the farmer-labor-ites. The democrats have declared that all plans for joint action must be based on retention of W. G. McAdoo for the presidential endorsement.

The three party conventions will meet at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning.

BEKKEDAL REOPENS FIGHT ON NORTHERN TOBACCO POOL

MADISON, Wis.—An effort to revive the attack on validity of Northern Wisconsin Co-operative Tobacco pool will be made by attorneys for M. H. Bekkedal Tobacco company, in the form of a motion for rehearing from the supreme court's decision last month, it was reported here Monday. The defendant company has until December 13 to file rehearing motion. The court upheld validity of the pool in a sweeping decision on November 13 and made permanent the injunction against the Bekkedal company restraining the company from soliciting tobacco from members of the pool.

CHAS. V. M'MILLAN, AGED LUMBERMAN, DIES ON SUNDAY

FOND DU LAC, Wis.—Charles V. McMillan, 72, president of the Winnebago Furniture company here and well known among Wisconsin and Michigan lumber interests, died Sunday at his home. He also owned mills near Marshfield and at Ontonagon, Michigan. The aged lumberman leaves a widow, one son and three daughters. The funeral will take place Tuesday morning from the home here.

WEEK'S PROGRAM

Program of events of the week at the Chamber of Commerce as listed to date:

Monday, Dec. 3—Art Exhibit. Industrial committee, 4 p. m.

Tuesday, Dec. 4—English Lutheran church dinner and bazaar.

Wednesday, Dec. 5—Zoning committee, 7:30 p. m. Art Exhibit, 7:30 to 10:00 p. m.

Thursday, Dec. 6—Regular weekly Rotary luncheon, 12:15 p. m. Meeting of American Legion, 7:30 p. m.

OBITUARY

MRS. LAMIRA CLARK, LAKE CHARLES, LA.

The announcement of the recent death of Mrs. Lamira Clark, one of the oldest residents of Lake Charles, La. has reached friends in the city. Mrs. Clark was the mother of Mrs. Samuel D. MacMillan and has for twenty years resided at the home of her daughter at Lake Charles. She was nearly 82 years of age, having been born at Warren, O. She was a former resident of West Salem. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. MacMillan, and one sister, Mrs. A. Viets, of this city. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. B. Hines, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of which she was a member at Lake Charles and the body was shipped to West Salem for burial. Mrs. MacMillan accompanied the remains and at present is visiting in town with relatives. Mr. Samuel MacMillan passed away several months ago.

Don't Let a Good Thing Go By
It is just as easy for you to get good Ginger Ale as the inferior kind, especially since we charge less for our Blue Bell Ginger Ale than is charged for ales in its class.
Comes in 12-ounce brown bottles only—enough for two glasses.
NORTH SIDE BOTTLING WORKS
Phone 560-A.
La Crosse, Wis.

ECKERSALL PUTS TAFT AND BELOW ON WESTERN "11"

Football Authority Gives Two Badgers Prominence in All-Conference

KIPKE SELECTED CAPTAIN OF MYTHICAL ELEVEN

No Outstanding Flank Players this Season

BY WALTER ECKERSALL
(In Chicago Tribune.)

CHICAGO, Ill.—When a resume of the western conference football season is attempted to select the players who have done the most consistent playing throughout the year, the striking feature of the situation is the dearth of ends, something which has rarely happened before in Big Ten gridiron circles.

There is an abundance of material for the line and backfield positions, but there are no outstanding flank players such as Barton of Minnesota, Meyers and Weston of Wisconsin, Carney of Illinois, and Crisler of Chicago. Even the coaches are at a loss to explain the situation, but claim it is simply one of those football conditions which arise so frequently.

Last season there was a dearth of good tackle material. There were a few good men, but none stood out such as the men who played these positions this year. In other years there has been scarcity of good players for other positions but under present conditions the dire need of good ends is such a necessity that it is a peculiar circumstance that more sterling wing men have not been developed.

The season was about the most successful in the history of conference football. The games were bitterly fought and even the supposedly weaker elevens gave the stronger teams interesting games, which attracted capacity crowds. For the most part good sportsmanship prevailed and the friendliest feeling existed between players of opposing teams on the gridirons.

In their first year as coaches of Big Ten elevens, Bill Ingram and Jack Ryan, mentors at Indiana and Wisconsin, respectively, had fairly successful seasons.

Kipke Team Captain

Until the playing of the Michigan-Minnesota game there was little to choose between two great players for an honorary backfield position. Captain Kipke of Michigan and Captain Martineau of Minnesota were the stars of their respective teams, but in the final clash at Ann Arbor the Wolverine had a slight advantage in general play and is awarded the position and made captain of the team.

The other halfback position goes to Harold Grange of Illinois without a bit of hesitancy. It is not often that a sophomore steps into the limelight as Red did this year. A man must have some ability to do this, and Grange delivered in every game. Ohio State stopped him for three quarters, but he finally got away for a touchdown.

The fullback position presents another perplexing problem, but Merrill Taft of Wisconsin is selected over John Thomas and Bill Zorn of Chicago because of his all around ability. Taft has been the mainstay of the Badger team, offensively and defensively, all season. In the most important games the Badger came through with all that was expected of him. He can run, kick or pass, the type of player who is dangerous at all times.

While John Thomas and Zorn may be a trifle better smashing the line, neither can forward pass, kick or run the ends like the Badger.

Below is Named

Below of the Badgers has been hard to beat on defense, and, on offense, generally did his share to make a hole for the ball carriers. Muirhead has been among the leading backers to cover punts. In the Ohio State game he covered Kipke's kicks better than the ends. Against Minnesota he blocked one of Captain Martineau's punts, and Babcock, a teammate, fell on the ball. A few minutes later Kipke scored on a drop kick.

No one will dispute the right of Captain McMillen of Illinois to be on the first selection. The Orange and Blue leader is an All-American choice without question. There is little he does not know about the position, and he is of the type who can change his style of defensive play to meet any conditions.

Rohrig of Chicago is given the other guard position. Like the Illinois warrior, the Maroon has played consistently all season and is rightfully entitled to the honor. Bichenstein of Wisconsin was another outstanding star.

MISSING AIR MAIL PILOT IS LOCATED

GRASS VALLEY, Calif.—Clare K. Vance, air mail pilot, who had been missing since two o'clock yesterday afternoon, made a safe landing near Lost Chance mine, in Placer county, late yesterday and today was on his way to Auburn, Calif., where he is expected tonight. Neither Vance nor his plane was injured in the landing, but Vance did not attempt to fly the plane out today. This information was received here tonight by forest service officials.

NEW ATHLETIC RECORD

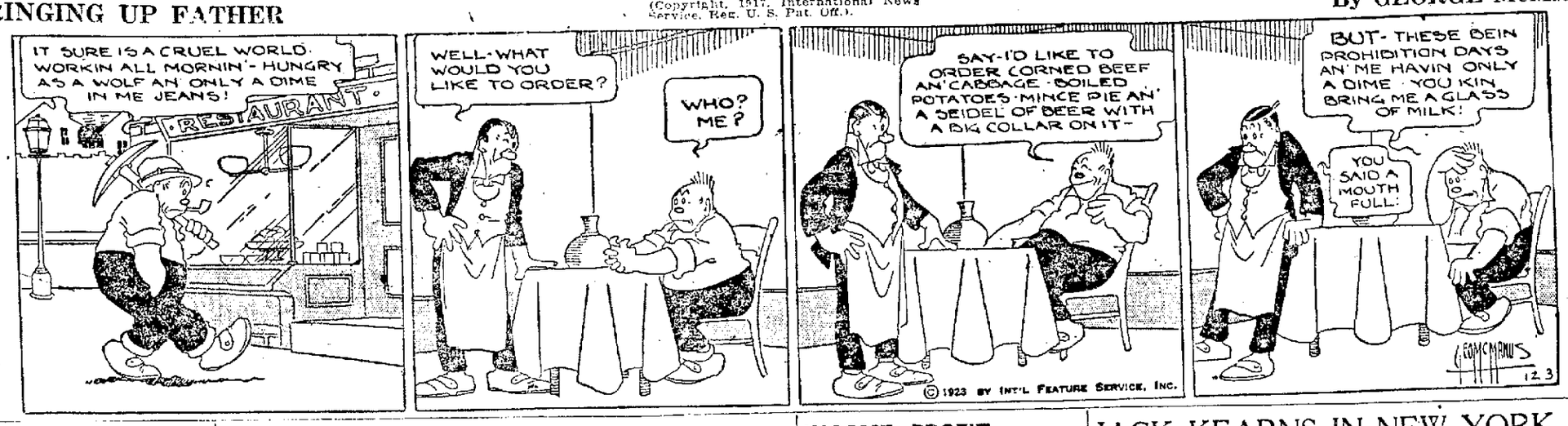
PARIS.—Jean Lapeyre, French aviator, established a new world's record for altitude for a hydro-airplane, ascending yesterday to a height of 5,535 meters. His record has been officially verified under the supervision of an aero club official. Lapeyre thus defeats the record held by Lieutenant C. F. Harper, American navy flier, of 4,236 meters.

The male mosquito is a vegetarian. Of course it is the wife that spoils your vacation.

BRINGING UP FATHER

(Copyright, 1917, International News Service, Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)

By GEORGE McMANUS



INTERSECTIONAL GAMES FURNISHED THRILLS IN 1923

Forty-seven Contests Involving Rival Sections Played this Season

NEW YORK.—By The Associated Press.—Intersectional football furnished many of the thrills of the 1923 gridiron season.

Easterners will not soon forget Notre Dame's eastern journey, when in two weeks it defeated West Point and Princeton. Middle Westerners will remember the visit of Syracuse to Nebraska to defeat an eleven which had taken Notre Dame's measure; Far westerners will recall with bitterness Gonzaga's defeat by Detroit.

All told, forty-seven contests involving teams from rival sections of the land have been played this season.

Eastern elevens won fourteen of twenty games from Southern opponents and won ten and tied two with Middle Westerners, scoring a total of 344 points to the combined southern and Middle western total of 308.

BOY OF THIRTEEN IS CORN PRINCE AT GRAIN SHOW

CHICAGO, Ill.—Maurice A. Lux, 13, of Shelbyville, Ind., Saturday night won the title of "Corn Prince" of the International Grain and Hay show here when his ten ears of white dent corn won over several hundred other junior entries.

Besides winning a part of the $12,000 prize money given by the Chicago board of trade, Lux also annexed the junior corn cup won last year by Glen Thares also of Indiana.

Kenneth Hutchinson, of Neola, Ohio, took first prize in the senior yearling class with an Angus steer.

Robert Wilson, 11 years old, of Muncie, Ind., won the grand championship in the junior feeding contest.

HELD FOR MAKING LIQUOR ON FARM

PRESTON, Minn.—Fred Lex, aged 68, resident of the bluff district in Forrestville township of Fillmore county, was bound over to district court here on a charge of manufacture of intoxicating liquor as the result of a raid on his farm conducted by Sheriff Cyrus Christensen.

Lex also was arraigned in justice court on a charge of maintaining a nuisance, to which he pleaded guilty, and was fined $100.

A complete still, two barrels of mash and a quantity of liquor were found in the raid, according to the sheriff. The raid followed an investigation conducted by the sheriff to ascertain the source of liquor being peddled in Spring Valley and Preston.

Hans Hanson, another resident of the bluff district, was taken to the state penitentiary this week to serve a sentence of not more than seven years for selling liquor to minors.

HOLSTEIN MAKES WORLD'S RECORD AS MILK PRODUCER

CHICAGO, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—Kolrain Finderne Bess, a Holstein cow, completed a test at seven years of age, with a production of 37,085.4 pounds of milk containing 1,117.16 pounds butterfat, equivalent to 1,396.4 pounds of butter, making her the world's champion milk cow for production under strictly official rules, according to announcement of the Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

Bess' production for the year is sufficient to supply 41 families with one quart of milk each day for 365 consecutive days, the announcement said, or for 320 days the cow produced an average of 100 pounds of milk in a one-year test period. She is owned by the Fred F. Field Dutch Holstein farms at Brocton, Mass., and her weighings and sampling of each milking and all butterfat tests were made under the supervision of the Massachusetts Agricultural college.

"Only two other cows have exceeded Bess' production of milk—her half sister, Kilrain Marion Finderne, and Segis Pietertje Prospect, the world's champion," the announcement said. "The tests of these two cows, however, were conducted under semi-official rules."

UPSET AT RUNNING OF ENDURANCE HANDICAP

BOWIE, Md.—The running of the endurance handicap for two-year-olds, closing day feature race at this track, proved an upset when the Green Tree stable's Tree Top won with her stable mate Rinkey second. J. W. Bell's Donaghee was third. The race was run over an extremely heavy track in 1:15 4-5 for the mile.

WISCONSIN'S THREE CONFERENCE GAMES SCHEDULED NEXT SEASON TO BE PLAYED ON FOREIGN GRIDS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Without a single western conference game scheduled to be played on its home field at Camp Randall, the University of Wisconsin football team faces an unusual season in 1924 as a result of the conference of coaches here. Only three games, Michigan, Minnesota and Chicago, are on the Badger list, all to be played away from home.

Minnesota, also with but three games arranged for, plays two of its contests at Minneapolis. Heavy schedules are arranged for Michigan, Ohio State and Chicago, each with six conference games. Northwestern, Indiana, Purdue, Iowa, and Illinois are slated for four contests each in the Big Ten.

A number of feature games, including a contest between Michigan and Illinois at Urbana, October 18, cause the prediction that the coming season is to be even more successful than the past in the Big Ten.

The Wisconsin followers were somewhat heartened Monday with the knowledge that E. C. Gerber, star tackle who was disqualified before the Illinois game on a charge of professionalism, is reinstated and eligible for further conference competition. Faculty athletic representatives voted for reinstatement.

Disagreement grew out of dickering to arrange for the conference outdoor track meet, the faculty meeting selecting June 7, which interfered with the national collegiate meet. A special committee was named to settle the question.

The indoor swimming meet, set for March 13-14, is to be held at the University of Chicago, the indoor track meet on March 14-15 at Northwestern university, and the conference tennis tournament at the University of Chicago on May 22, 23, and 24.

As an outgrowth of the incident that followed an official's ruling in the Wisconsin-Michigan game of this last year, the faculty representatives adopted a resolution urging the selection of men of integrity to officiate at games and declared their rulings, whether agreed with or not, should be supported wholehearted.

CLEVER CORNELL BACK

F. D. RAMSEY

In the brilliant showing that Cornell has made on the gridiron this year, the work of Halfback Ramsey has been one of the features. While not as sensational as his side-kick, George Pfann, he is a great ground gainer and invaluable for his interference in many of the long runs made by Captain Pfann.

TRAINED CARRIER PIGEONS BRINGING DRUGS INTO U. S.

Hundreds of Birds Crossing Mexican Border, Federal Authorities Reveal

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Trained carrier pigeons are bringing narcotics across the border from Mexico in such quantities that the price of a "bundle" of at least one drug in underworld markets has slumped perceptibly, according to federal agents here.

Hundreds of these pigeons, each carrying a moisture-proof drug container beneath the body are liberated from the Mexican headquarters of a smuggling gang at certain specified times, according to narcotic agents. A few hours later they are being "checked in" at their owner's homes on the American side of the line, it is said.

The system was revealed, authorities announced, when one of the order flying birds was wounded by a hunter and picked up by a narcotic agent who happened to be watching the air for a smuggler's plane.

LYNCH BATTLES COULON TONIGHT TITLE AT STAKE

NEWARK, N. J.—The world's bantamweight championship will be at stake Monday night when Joe Lynch has a twelve round bout with Eddie Coulon of New Orleans. If he wins Lynch will meet Abe Goldstein in a match in New York.

CHILEAN WINS

PARIS.—Quentin Romero-Rojan, Chilean heavyweight pugilist, Saturday night knocked out Marcel Nilles, former heavyweight champion of France, in the third round.

COTTON BROKER DIES

NEW YORK.—William Vincent King 75, former president of the New York Cotton exchange and a Spanish-American war veteran, died at his home here.

INCOME, PROFIT TAX REDUCTIONS CUT COLLECTIONS

Lower Levies on Amusements, Auto Sales, Spirits also Account for Decrease

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Reductions in income and profit taxes and in the levies on amusements, automobile sales, spirits and the like accounted for most of the decrease of more than $575,700,000 in collections during the last fiscal year.

The annual report of the internal revenue bureau, which was published Monday, listed collections during the twelve months ending June 30, totaling $2,621,745,227, as compared with $3,197,451,000 during the preceding fiscal year. Increases of $38,256,108 in taxes on tobacco and $39,856,727 on automotive products, Commissioner David H. Blair asserted, were much more than offset by reductions made by new laws in taxation from other sources.

Income and profits taxes totaled $1,691,089,000, a decline of $395,600,000 from the preceding year, and taxes on amusement, automobile sales, spirits and similar items amounted to $930,655,692, a decline of $179,876,925.

WHITE HOUSE HELD UNSAFE; $400,000 TO REPAIR MANSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The White House has been declared unsafe. Conditions there are such as to require that immediate remedial measures be taken to prevent a possible calamity. These disclosures were made Monday by Major General Lansing H. Beach, chief of engineers of the army, in his annual report to the secretary of war. Congress is asked for $400,000 for the work of reconstructing the interior portion of the famous building to make it secure.

OFFER NEW PLAN TO RAISE BONUS

WASHINGTON.—Payment of a soldiers bonus with funds raised by a poll tax of $250 on each immigrant and $50 on every alien resident, a tax of two per cent on gross income of foreign corporations in the United States, an increase in the inheritance tax and a noxcess profits tax is proposed in a bill drafted by Representative Watkins, democrat of Oregon.

The bill provides for compensation to former service men at the rate of $1.25 a day for foreign service and $1 for home service, the maximum cash payment being $625. Six methods of receiving the bonus are provided, as follows.

Adjusted service pay, adjusted service certificates, credit on any form of government insurance held by the veteran, vocational training, farm or home aid, and land settlement aid.

What the U. S. needs is reverse gears for gas meters.

JACK KEARNS IN NEW YORK ARRANGING JACK DEMPSEY'S PROGRAM FOR NEXT SEASON

BY SPARROW McGANN
(Special Correspondent, Tribune)
Copyright, 1923.

NEW YORK.—Jack Kearns now is in New York, paving the way for the arrival of Jack Dempsey, now in New Mexico on a shooting expedition.

"I'm here," said Kearns. "to get next year's fighting schedule for the champion fixed up. We bar no one and as soon as the promoters talk business we'll be on hand with our fountain pens."

It looks as though Tex and Kearns are playing poker. Jack expected, no doubt, that Rickard would be at the station to meet him but he wasn't and he hasn't sent for Kearns to come to his office.

Tex Has Meal Ticket

This looks as though Tex has the big meal ticket, one, Firpo sewed up, and that before the projected two million dollar battle is pulled off here about next year Kearns will have to talk business with Tex.

Times have changed. In the old days the champion heavyweight spent practically all his time dodging the challenger of men who seemed to have a chance of beating them. This because such money as was made came through theatrical engagements and other things, money received for fighting didn't compare with the side graft.

But in these modern times when a battler of high merit, such as Dempsey, will take in from 3 to seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars for going through a few rounds of boxing sound business sense indicates activity in the ring. Thus to all intents and purposes, a champion heavyweight assumes the role of a challenger, seeking to lease heavyweight prospects into the ring at a percentage of the gate receipts less than most of them think they are worth.

Kearns is here in just this capacity looking for bouts the way a traveling salesman looks for orders. Of course, he has no great fear that any heavy now before the public can beat his man but even if there were a dangerous contender the money interest would be so large that the well-known firm would take a chance just the same.

There has been a great deal of talk concerning Harry Wills, but he will never fight Dempsey. If he did he would be beaten handily because every sign points to the fact that no matter what Wills once was, he is past the peak. Dempsey, on the other hand, in point of stamina, speed and hitting power, was never so formidable.

Where to Hold Fight

But, as the writer has also along stated, the political powers that be in New York State don't want the fight to be held on the ground that public opinion would be aroused against boxing and in the present opulent state of the game, this is one thing that no one wants to happen.

The writer feels certain that a similar state of mind exists over in New Jersey and where else would a Dempsey-Wills bout draw big money? The swift manner in which Jimmy Coffroth of Tia Juana dropped the project shows how a keen business man reacts to such a project, upon mature deliberation.

Dempsey's three battles next year will include Renault, Gibbons and Firpo. Renault is rapidly building up and before long will occupy a bout designed to place him upon a pedestal of public favor. Wait and see. With these fights out of the way Dempsey says he will retire and become a business man.

$100,000 IS PAID ON THOMAS JEFFERSON HOME

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va.—The first step toward making Monticello a national shrine has been taken by the Thomas Jefferson Memorial foundation with the payment of $100,000 toward the purchase of the home.

The Better Way To Buy Cigars!

Smokers, everywhere, praise Pocket Pack ROI-TAN as the great advance in protection and preservation of quality in *good* cigars. In the RED humidor tin of ten. Just ask your dealer for

POCKET PACK ROI-TAN

A cigar you'll like

509 SEIDENBERG & CO. *Branch*, Chicago

ATTEND THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BIG BAZAAR Dec. 5th to 8th CLINTON AND AVON STREETS

1924

Will mean nothing to the untrained man who does not prepare himself now to become skilled in some trade or profession. THE BARBER TRADE offers splendid opportunities. High salaries or start in business for yourself with small capital. Now is the time to act. Our enlarged location offers latest equipment and methods of instruction. Reasonable tuition. Write for FREE illustrated catalog today.

Twin City Barber College
204 Hennepin Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

EASY WINTER STARTING

Engines turn over as easy now as on a hot afternoon in July.

REMOVES THE CARBON

McWADE OIL

from your engine—never to return so long as you use it.

H. H. NIEBUHR, 513 Jay St.
H. R. SCHMOHL, 832 Rose St.

SERVICE

No better anywhere in the automobile industry.

WEINHAUPT-SAVAGE CO., INC.
306-308-310 So. 4th St.

JUMBO PEANUTS
Roasted Fresh Daily at the
BODEGA CLUB

FRED H. HARTWELL
LAWYER
319-325 State Bank Bldg.
LA CROSSE WIS.

NORTHERN ENGRAVING CO
ARTISTS ENGRAVERS ELECTROTYPERS
COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPHERS METAL DECORATORS
OFFSET PRINTING PLATES

YES We repair *all makes* of cars. Reserve your storage space now. Cold weather has come to stay.

We Make a Specialty of Rebuilding Wrecks.

DIETZ GARAGE

Phone 334. *A Trial Will Convince You.*

ENGAAS BROS. OF HOLMEN AGAIN IN LEAD OF TESTERS

Have High Herd Average and Two High Cows for October

Production reports have advanced slightly in the Holmen Cow Testing association during the last month with Engaas Bros. Holsteins in the lead, both for the high herd, and the two high cows.

Their herd average of 906 pounds milk, testing 4.09 per cent fat, making 37.1 pounds butterfat, was slightly higher than Olson Bros.' Guernseys, who averaged 33.2 pounds butterfat.

C. F. Tabbert's Guernseys with 28.2 pounds butterfat, and E. L. Skogen's Jerseys with 28.0 pounds butterfat, come third and fourth respectively.

The high cow—Bessie Homestead DeKol Lass—a registered Holstein, has 1603 pounds of milk and 68.9 pounds butterfat for the month.

A registered Guernsey owned by H. R. Halverson on two quarters 770 pounds milk and 43.8 pounds butterfat.

A registered Guernsey, Murne Cowan's Dairymaid of Sylvanite, a junior two year old owned by L. T. Lee, made 891 pounds milk and 50.7 pounds butterfat. This heifer is sired by the great production sire—Murne Cowan's King—and promises to become a splendid producer.

Another good breed for production sire was introduced into the association this week when Albert Anderson purchased at the Guernsey breeders' sale, Bell Boy of Breezy Hill, No. 88218. This calf is sired by Queen's Golden No. 48557, and out of Bell of Breezy Hill No. 101312 A. R., with 6400.10 pounds milk, 352.99 pounds butterfat, class G. G.

We now have 25 barns out of the 30 equipped with drinking cups, something which we do not think is equalled in the county and possibly by very few associations in the state.

Considerable alfalfa was shipped in to members the last month, which together with good silage, and a grain mixture of corn, oats and bran, together with oil meal, should make up a good ration.

A dance was put on by the association members, which netted the association $120.00, which will easily cover the expenses of our association exhibit at the fair and some to spare, besides giving all a good time.

High cows for the month:

Owner of cow	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. B.F.
Engaas Bros.	1603	68.9
Engaas Bros.	1184	55.6
C. F. Tabbert	739	51.7
L. T. Lee	891	50.7
Engaas Bros.	1261	49.1
Coady Bros.	885	46.9
Snuggerud Bros.	816	46.5
H. R. Halverson	770	43.8
Leo. Waldenberger	748	43.3
J. E. Anderson	884	42.4
C. F. Tabbert	878	41.2
Olson Bros.	672	40.9
K. O. Gaarder	783	40.7
Coady Bros.	878	40.3

J. EDGAR BRUDOS,
Official Tester.

HIGH HERD HONORS IN MINDORO CLUB WON BY JOHN LEE

Bennie Wold, Owner of "Pretty" Has High Cow for October

John Lee captured high herd honors for the month of October in the Mindoro Cow Testing association. His herd of grade Jerseys, of which eight milked that were on test, produced an average of 33.4 pounds of butterfat made from 526.7 pounds of milk.

The high cow, "Pretty," a grade Guernsey, is owned by Bennie Wold. She made 57.5 pounds of butterfat from 1150 pounds of milk testing 5.0 per cent. Mr. Wold is a new member in our association. He tells us that he is quite favorably surprised in a few of his cows.

Six cows were sold for dairy purposes, and seven were sold over the block during the month of October. Members are keeping only sure or prospective profit makers through what promises in many cases to be a winter of feed shortages.

There are nine cows that made 40 pounds or better for October. They are as follows:

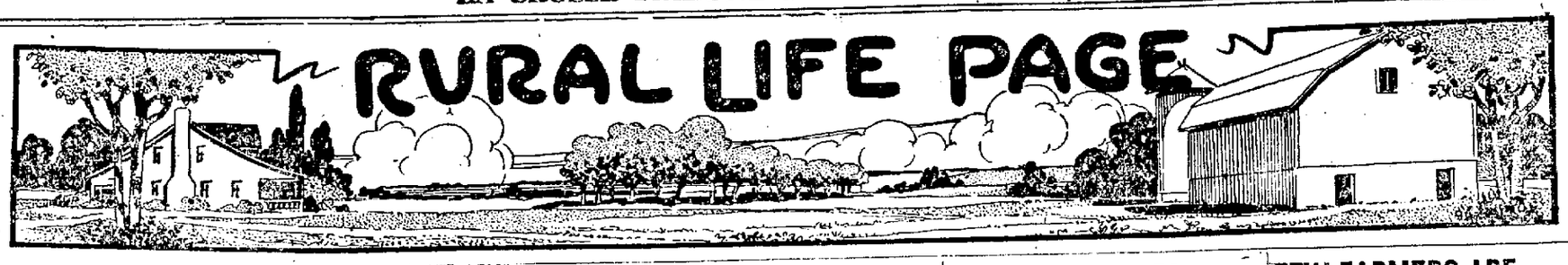
Owner	lbs. Milk	Lbs. B.F.
Bennie Wold	1150	57.5
Bennie Wold	930	41.8
W. Storandt	911	49.2
L. C. McClintock	905	44.3
J. Lee	846	43.9
J. Lee	753	40.6
L. J. Roberts	1351	40.5
L. J. Roberts	1176	41.2
Young Bros.	712	40.6

GEO. J. BRUDOS,
Official Tester.
L. J. SAXTON,
Secretary.

SHORT COURSE IN CHEESE MAKING TO OPEN IN FEBRUARY

MADISON.—Many Swiss cheesemakers from the foreign cheese manufacturing districts of Southern Wisconsin are looking forward to the annual Swiss cheese short course which is held at the Wisconsin college of agriculture. Early February will mark the opening of the course again this year.

Since its inauguration in 1920 approximately 115 cheesemakers have been in attendance. Last year the attendance figure reached a total of 53. Two weeks are to be devoted to the study of the many problems which confront the manufacturer of superior quality foreign cheese. Plans for this year's work are in the making according to J. L. Sammis, who is in charge.



WORLD'S PREMIER FARM CLASSIC IS OPENED IN CHICAGO

Badger Enthusiasts Entered in Livestock, Hay and Grain Meet

CHICAGO, Ill.—Well over 100 Wisconsin exhibitors are showing at the hay and grain show which is held yearly in conjunction with the International Livestock Exposition which opened here Saturday December 1.

In former years Badger exhibitors have always had between 350 and 400 samples on hand to make a bid for the numerous prizes offered. According to E. D. Holden of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, who is looking after the interests of the Badger grain men, the representation this year will easily equal that of other years.

Corn and small grains predominate in the Wisconsin showings. Seeds of the grain and forage plants are usually found in the state's exhibit which serves as mute testimony of the well balanced farming practiced there.

New Rules in Effect

New rules governing the zones of competition are in effect this year and a fairer distribution of prize money is looked for. Holden is urging Wisconsin exhibitors to keep up the winnings of other years, for Wisconsin has always cut quite a figure at the annual grain show.

A liberal sprinkling of Wisconsin breeders is also to be found among the entries in the Livestock department. Each year sees a goodly center of the country, competing successfully with breeding and fat stock showmen from all parts of this country. To date, James Price and Son are the only La Crosse exhibitors. They have entries in the Hereford and Grade and Cross sections.

In the free trip contests conducted by the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad and the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Road, Manley Hendrickson is the only representative from La Crosse county, being the only one to place.

Junior Club members from all parts of the country who have been prize winners in events this fall flocked to the Exposition to vie for honors in the field for Boys and Girls Club work. A trio of Wisconsin girls from Waukesha county are slated to give the only millinery demonstration in the junior department.

Marcel Zink, Dane county, who won the prize for being the best exhibitor of baby beeves at the junior livestock exposition held at the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, Vera Divan, state champion pig club member from Green county and George Price, strong contender for pig club honors from Kenosha county are other Badger juniors who will view the exhibits at the premier classic of the livestock world.

CAMPBELL HALL TO BE SCENE OF FIRST FARMERS MEETING

The first Farmer's Meeting of the season in Campbell town hall will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 12. The usual dinner will be served at noon. Those who attended are requested to bring baskets of eatables for the table.

The program, which will open immediately after the dinner, will be as follows:

1. Community singing led by Mrs. R. C. Whetsley.
2. Talk, "The Future Dairyman of La Crosse County," Albert L. Hyzer, West Salem.
3. Vocal solo, Mrs. Whetsley.
4. Talk, "Sketches From the Life and Habits of the Winnebago Indians," Rev. Frank E. Stuckl.
5. Reading, "The First Settler's Story," Mr. Hyzer.
6. Mixed quartet, members of St. John's Reformed church.
7. Talk, "Some of the Wonders of Our State," Mrs. H. J. Bullock, president of the Community Council.
8. Community singing, Mrs. Whetsley.

A welcome is extended to all to attend.

HOUSTON FARM BUREAU MEETS AT CALEDONIA

CALEDONIA, Minn.—The annual meeting of the Houston County Farm Bureau will be held Dec. 11, at Caledonia. John Brant, Minnesota Co-operative Creamery Organizer will address the gathering and will be the principal speaker. Plans are under way to serve lunch to the visiting farmers that day. County Agent Stegner is desirous of meeting every member in Caledonia on Dec. 11. "All right, let's go" the recent campaign slogan, should serve as an incentive.

ALFALFA IS MOST ADVISABLE CROP ON AVERAGE FARM

(By J. E. GREEN—ONALASKA)

Alfalfa is the easiest hay to make that ever grew when one understands the nature of the plant and the art of handling it. By saving all the leaves this product can be developed into the quickest, richest, and best hay on the farm. It also has a proportionately larger yield per acre. The expense of growing this crop is about one-fourth the cost of growing other hay.

MANY PRIZES FOR STATE CONVENTION OF CHEESEMAKERS

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—State cheesemakers are in line for a chance at one or more of the many prizes hung up for distribution at the thirty-second annual convention of the Wisconsin Cheesemakers' association to be held in the auditorium here January 9, 10 and 11.

J. L. Sammis of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, secretary of the state association, declares that well over 1,000 cheesemakers should be on hand when the judges take up the task of distributing the prizes. Records reveal the fact that one-third of all of the exhibitors in past years have taken home a prize, the general average being 1.8 prizes to a winner. This was due to many makers both a state and county prize on the same cheese.

Over 400 prizes are offered this year, an increase of 60 per cent over previous years. Efforts are being made to have the prize list arranged so as to give the prizes as wide a distribution as possible among the competitors. Educational features will hold a prominent place on the program of the convention. Secretary Sammis promises that business and pleasure will be mixed up in such well balanced proportions that this meeting should far outshadow gatherings of other years.

HOUSTON COUNTY EXHIBITORS PLACE AT JUNIOR SHOW

Ten-year-old Olaf Sanden Wins Ninth Place at State Exhibition

Olaf Sanden, 10 year old son of Hans Sanden, of Houston, won honors at the Junior Livestock Show held at South St. Paul when his Junior Yearling Hereford baby beef placed 9th in the open class and later sold for 16c a pound. Fifty-six animals from all parts of the state competed in this class, Herefords, Shorthorns and Angus, in prime condition all took part in the event. Had the Houston calf not gone off feed during the latter part of the feeding period he would have placed still higher. The selling price amounted to $198.10 which in addition to $18 in prize money netted Olaf $212.40. In addition to this, all who took part in the Junior Show learned considerable about the judging of livestock, showing and fitting.

The Shorthorn grade calf shown by Geneva Anderson also made a very creditable exhibition but did not place in the upper 10.

The market Poland China barrow shown by James Selling of Spring Grove sold for $7.40 per cwt., at the auction which followed the sale.

The "Grand Champion" baby beef steer which was a Shorthorn calf shown by a 11 year old boy sold at public auction for $1 per pound and netted Louis Kelsey, of Watonwan county, $1375.00 in addition to $200 in prizes.

The "Grand Champion" lamb was from LeSueur county and sold at $1.30 per pound. Ralph Wheaton a former Houston county resident, is the agent at LeSueur county and has charge of club work in that section.

WEEKLY MARKETGRAM

Livestock and meats—Chicago hog prices declined 10 to 20c for the week, closing at $7.15 top and $6.50 to $7.00 for the bulk. Medium and good beef steers 35 to 65c up at $8.25 to $11.50, butcher cows and heifers 10 to 50c higher at $3.50 to $10.00. Feeder steers steady to 15c higher at $4.50 to $7.50; light and medium weight veal calves $1.00 to $1.25 higher at $7.50 to $9.75. Fat lambs 65c to $1.00 higher at $11.25 to $13.25; feedlot lambs steady at $11.00 to $12.50; yearlings 50 to 75c higher at $8.25 to $11.50 and ewes steady to 25c higher at $4.00 to $7.00.

Stocker and feeder shipments from 12 important markets during the week ending November 23rd were: Cattle and calves, 121,469; hogs, 11,975; sheep, 79,294.

In eastern wholesale fresh meat markets beef 50c to $1.00 higher; veal $1.00 higher; lamb steady to $1.00 lower; mutton steady to $2.00 higher; pork loins $1.00 higher to $1.00 lower.

November 30th prices good grade meats: Beef, $14.50 to $18.00; veal, $13.00 to $15.00; lamb, $22.00 to $24.00; mutton, $15.00 to $16.00; light pork loins, $13.00 to $14.00; heavy loins, $9.50 to $14.00.

Grain—Market weak and unsettled. Both corn and wheat future prices lower for week. Fair milling demand for best grades of wheat and price held steady. Cash corn lower on larger receipts and limited demand. Oats market continued steady at practically unchanged prices. Quoted November 30th: No. 1 dark northern spring Minneapolis, $1.08 to $1.20. No. 2 hard winter Chicago, $1.04½ to $1.06; Kansas City, $1.20 to $1.23; No. 2 red Chicago $1.05½, St. Louis, $1.14 to $1.16; No. 2 yellow corn Chicago, 76½ to 79c; St. Louis, 80c; No. 3 yellow, St. Louis, 73 to 74c; No. 3 white oats, St. Louis, 45c; Kansas City, 45c.

Dairy products—Butter markets steadied during the week although trading on the whole irregular. Supplies ample for moderate demand. Production apparently holding steady. Imports have been heavy at high prices recently prevailing.

Closing prices 92 score butter: New York, 54c; Philadelphia, 54½c; Chicago, 52c; Boston, 52c.

Cheese markets declined slightly during the week under pressure of an indifferent demand. Heavy storage surplus appears a factor of influence.

Closing prices at Wisconsin primary markets November 28th: Flats, 24c; single daisies, 24½c; double daisies, 24c; long horns, 25¼c; square prints, 25½c.

Three years ago Tasmania exported, during 12 months, the skins of 59,000 kangaroos.

ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW TO OPEN ON TUESDAY EVENING

Boys' and Girls' Department to Have Special Attention

Aristocratic blue ribbon winning birds, representing nearly all the breeds and varieties of poultry will be on exhibition this week at the annual poultry show which opens tomorrow evening at Yeoman hall. It is expected that from the number of entries that have already been received by Secretary Walt. P. Jagow, that this show will outclass any exhibition of the kind ever held in La Crosse.

The fact that the Chamber of Commerce and the business men have backed up the show makes it possible to offer more cups and cash specials than ever. The further fact that the show will be held down town in Yeoman hall will increase the attendance. The association desires to make it known that the show is not a money making affair but that it is held for educational purposes. No admission is charged but it is free to everyone. A special invitation is extended to farmers, in fact all persons interested in the breeding of better poultry.

Mr. George W. Hackett of Minneapolis will place the awards, and also give a culling demonstration and a talk at some time to be announced later. Mr. Hacket was formerly in the government service and will be glad to answer all questions regarding breeding, mating, culling and feeding poultry. The exhibition will be open to the public every day and evening, closing Saturday night.

Among the entries received are birds owned by Fred Zeimer of Waconia, Minn., who won the lion's share of prizes in Barred Plymouth Rocks at the National poultry show at Milwaukee last week. A. Stransky of Chilton, Wis. has also entered some of his Black Langshans that won blue ribbons at Milwaukee.

While there will be high class show birds special attention is given to the boys and girls for whom a department has been arranged. It is expected that the young breeders from all over the county will have birds on display. This department is being conducted under the supervision of Mr. W. E. Spreiter of the county agricultural school of Onalaska.

$375 IS TOP PRICE FOR GUERNSEY AT WEST SALEM SALE

$200 Mark is Reached by Fourteen Head at Association Sale

The La Crosse County Guernsey Breeders' association sale at West Salem Thursday, Nov. 22, brought out a record breaking crowd of buyers and people interested in dairying. Every available seat in the big pavilion was occupied, and the wide driveways in the barns were filled with men, who were busy inspecting cattle and marking their catalogues in view of bidding on certain animals when they were put up for sale.

About 240 head of Guernseys were sold from 1:30 in the afternoon to 11:15 at night. In the afternoon 102 head of registered females and a few bulls were sold. After supper the pavilion was again filled with buyers and people interested in good dairy cattle, and about 139 head of grades were sold. For a while they were being sold at the rate of one every 35 seconds.

The 240 head of cattle sold for over $28,000.

The top of the sale was a beautiful purebred four year old heifer consigned by Albert Hyzer, West Salem, and bought by Emil P. Miller, West Salem, for $375. Mr. Miller also bought another, a beautiful two year old heifer, at $315, which is not only a show animal, but is backed by high production records.

Fourteen head sold above the $200 mark.

Nine grade cows sold above $150, the top also consigned by Albert Hyzer was bought by Mrs. Ed Ellis at $177.50.

The top priced bull went to F. L. Henderson, Ettrick, at $315.

Every sale repeats the demonstration that good cattle are in great demand and bring good prices, and the poor cattle are not sought after even at low prices.

There will be another Guernsey sale at West Salem on December 13 when O. G. Clark & Co. will sell about 150 high grade cows and a few good purebred bulls.

MOST HATCHERIES IN WISCONSIN HAVE BEEN ACCREDITED

MADISON, Wis.—Farm flocks of purebred poultry which supply eggs to Wisconsin accredited hatcheries are of better quality this fall than ever before, according to officials of the department of markets who are now engaged in the annual hatchery inspection. They state that the present shortage of fresh eggs is due to the fact that pullets are immature and have not yet started to lay. They will be in good condition, however, by the time the breeding season starts.

Especial attention is being given this year to males and every male used in hatchery flocks must be of high quality and show great vigor and vitality. Each male is banded with a sealed metal band. Purchasers of chicks from inspected hatcheries are generally well pleased with the stock they received last year and many express their intention of dealing with the same firms next year.

Hatchery inspection in Wisconsin is now in its third year. Twenty hatcheries were accredited in 1922, forty in 1923, and about fifty have put in their application for inspection for 1924. Other states are also putting into effect a plan similar to Wisconsin and purchasers of day-old chicks can now get full protection and have confidence in the quality of the stock which they will receive by dealing with these state inspected concerns. The Wisconsin plan was recently endorsed and given recognition by the International Baby Chick association.

U. OF MINNESOTA TO EXTEND WORK OF AGRIC DIVISION

Local Leaders to Meet With State Specialists for Four Months

ST. PAUL, Minn.—A plan to extend the work of the agricultural extension division of the University of Minnesota through the enlistment of local leaders is to be given a trial in sixteen counties this winter, under the direction of L. V. Wilson and H. R. Searles, dairy specialists of the agricultural extension service of the University of Minnesota.

The plan is new in Minnesota and in the country, as applied to purely agricultural extension work, but has been used in home demonstration extension work.

Under this method there will be meetings of local leaders with state specialists and the county home demonstration agent of the county agricultural agent. The local leaders meet with the state specialists once a month for four months, and these leaders who receive the training, hold meetings with local groups and pass on to them the instruction and subject matter material received from the state specialist.

Local leaders will first meet with Mr. Wilson and Mr. Searles to discuss the various phases of dairying, and from the instruction received and with subject matter in printed form will deal with the groups as classes.

If the method proves successful, it is very likely that it will be made use of in other fields by another year. The counties in which the new plan will be tried this winter are Mahnomen, Otter Tail, Wadena, Dodge, Steele, Waseca, LeSueur, Winona, Beltrami, Hubbard, Anoka, Pine, Carlton, Hennepin, Dakota and Meeker.

PROGRAM GIVEN AT WHITE SCHOOL HOUSE WEDNESDAY

The following program was put on at the White school November 28, and was prepared by the teacher, Miss Esther Smith:

Turkey Run, song by the school; Gramble Corner and Thanksgiving Street, recitation, Mildred Shane; Ten Little Pumpkin Heads, dialogue; Birth of Thanksgiving, recitation, George Kneifle; How Old You Die, recitation, Lester Bowen; An Old Fashioned Spelling Match; Cherokee Roses, a declamation, Esther Deutrich; The Pilgrim Maids, song by Hazel Tritton and Alice Anderson; How Shall We Keep Thanksgiving Day, recitation, Dorothy Pfaff; A Boys' November, recitation, Eldon Saley; The Days of the Week, dialogue; Thanksgiving Fun, recitation, Christ Severson; Waiting for the 2:40 Train, play; Making a Jack o' Lantern, recitation, Oscar Gunderson; America, motion song; talk, Club Work and the Value of Preparing Exhibits, W. E. Spreiter; box social, the baskets sold for $22.25 which will be used for hot lunches.

FEW FARMERS ARE KEEPING RECORDS OF FARM PROGRESS

Many Do Not Realize Real Value of Farm Record Keeping

Comparatively few farmers keep records by which it is possible to determine which of their different lines of work is the more profitable, or whether there is any particular enterprise, such as raising hogs, poultry or running the dairy herd that actually results in loss. On the other hand, interest in that phase of farm management is growing and it is to be hoped that it will continue to grow a lot faster than it has in the last decade or so.

Many farmers are inclined to excuse themselves for not keeping records on the ground that they have to raise certain crops whether they pay or not. For instance, it is common knowledge that oats are not a paying crop in Iowa yet Iowa is the first oat-producing state in the Union so far as quantity is concerned. The growers say that oats must be raised for rotation purposes and to a certain extent that is true. On the other hand, much of the land that is producing oats in Iowa could be more profitably utilized for growing soy beans and from the standpoint of crop rotation the soil would be better off than when used for growing oats.

In a number of states the farm bureaus in cooperation with the college extension departments have induced limited numbers of farmers to keep farm records and it is surprising how valuable some of them have proved to be in throwing light on production costs. In many cases farmers have found that they received less for the feed consumed by their cows in the form of dairy products than if the feed had been sold on the market. When at the close of a year such records stare a man in the face they are bound to make him think and investigate.

When a man starts to find out why his dairying or hog raising is not paying a fair profit he is very likely soon to discover the cause and set about to find the remedy. It may not always be so easy to find the trouble as one might think, but usually it can be found without much difficulty. It is even more important for the farmer to keep farm accounts than it is for the merchant in town to keep a record of his business.

Let us take an inventory of everything on the farm on the first day of next year and then keep track at least of the principal enterprises and know definitely where profits are made and losses are sustained. Last year, we understand, some 28,000 farm records were kept in cooperation with extension service men and much benefit derived therefrom.—Wisconsin Farmer.

BEEKEEPERS OF MINNESOTA WILL MEET THIS WEEK

ST. PAUL, Minn.—The annual meeting of the Minnesota Beekeepers' association will be held in the Minneapolis courthouse, December 6 and 7, it was announced by Joseph Finstad of St. Paul, president, who, with G. C. Matthews, University farm, secretary, is making preliminary arrangements.

Among the specialists expected to attend are E. R. Root, editor of a bee culture publication; Edwin Winkler of Illinois, famous beekeeper, and Jay Smith, Vincennes, Indiana, an expert breeder.

BRAGG NAMED TO LEAD STATE COW TESTERS IN 1924

The Wisconsin Cow Testers' association has chosen the following officers for the year: Clarence Bragg, Ft. Atkinson, president; Joseph Senoff, Waukesha, vice president; Blaine Paulson, Dane county, secretary, and H. A. Feagle, Barron county, and William Tobison, Sauk county, board of directors.

CULLING LESSONS DRAW CROWDS OF POULTRY RAISERS

State Specialist Gives First Hand Information at Ten Meetings

A series of ten poultry culling demonstrations were held in La Crosse County during the week of Nov. 1, by Mr. E. A. Umbreit, poultry specialist for the Extension Department of the State Agricultural College, and County Agent W. E. Spreiter. The purpose of these meetings was to give the farmers and the farmer's wife first hand information on how to pick out the hens and pullets that will be good layers the coming winter. By culling the flock and keeping only such birds as will lay a large number of eggs during the winter months and selling off the birds that will not lay, the feed bill can be reduced and the net profit increased.

Mr. Umbreit has been carrying on these demonstrations for the past two years, and has worked in nearly all parts of Wisconsin. He reports the largest and most enthusiastic meetings in La Crosse County of any section where he has worked.

Meetings were held in the County at the following places:

Monday Nov. 19.—Afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at John Schurz farm on Brices Prairie.

Tuesday Nov. 20.—Forenoon at 10:00 o'clock at John H. Meyer farm at Barre Mills.

Tuesday Nov. 20.—Afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at Will Hauser farm at Sand Lake Coulee.

Wednesday Nov. 21.—Forenoon at 10:00 o'clock in Shelby at Sunshine Poultry Farm.

Wednesday Nov. 21.—Afternoon at 1:30 o'clock on Brinkmans Ridge at Fred L. Krause farm.

Thursday Nov. 22.—Forenoon at 10:00 o'clock on Fish Creek at Geo. Aylesworth farm.

Thursday Nov. 22.—Afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at Dutch Creek on Carl Lukas Farm.

Friday Nov. 23.—Forenoon at 10:00 o'clock at Wm. Claus farm in Browns Valley.

Friday Nov. 23.—Afternoon at 1:30 at Sand Creek District at Fred Pfaff farm.

Saturday Nov. 24.—Forenoon at 10:00 o'clock at Geo. Lovejoy farm in Town of Hamilton.

There was a total attendance at these meetings of 267 people.

The specialist says "good winter egg production can be secured by the farmers if they have a well selected flock and exercise good management.

"The hen house must be warm, light and well ventilated. Ventilation is best secured by removing the sash and covering the opening with burlap. If the house is well ventilated it will not become damp or frosty on the inside. When the hen house becomes damp it is a sign that more ventilation is necessary. The birds should be protected at night by a canvas baffle in front of the roosts. A deep covering of straw on the floor is desirable. Hens should be kept out of the snow at all times as chilled feet keep them from laying.

Feed Ration Given

"Feed should consist of grain mixture, meat feed, mineral and green feed. Grain should be fed in two ways; a dry mash should be kept in front of the hens at all times. A mixture of four parts of bran and one part of linseed meal is recommended, but any good dairy ration will answer. A scratch feed consisting of variety of farm grains fed in deep litter should be given as a light feed in the morning and a heavy feed at night. The animal food should be meat scraps or tankage. For green feed sprouted grains, silage or chaff from clover or alfalfa hay are good."

Some evidence of tuberculosis was found among the poultry. This is a very serious disease and when it gets into the flock should be gotten rid of at once. This disease is easily recognized. The birds so affected become thin and lame and death follows. When the diseased bird is opened the liver is found to be enlarged and has yellow spots on it. The remedy recommended is to get rid of the flock, thoroughly disinfect the premises and then get new birds from a healthy flock.

SEEK AIR MAIL PILOT

SAN FRANCISCO.—Six army airplanes left here Saturday to aid in the search for Clare K. Vance, air mail service pilot, who has been missing since Friday afternoon. Vance failed to arrive in Reno after starting his regular mail trip Friday morning. Nothing has been heard from him since he left San Francisco, except a rumor that he might have been forced down near Colfax, sixty miles west of Reno by a heavy snowstorm, accompanied by high winds.

IF YOU HAVE GOOD COWS
WE WANT THEM.
IF YOU WANT GOOD COWS
WE HAVE THEM.
O. G. CLARK & COMPANY
WEST SALEM, WIS.
Commission Merchants in Dairy Cattle.
WRITE us, WIRE us, PHONE us. We're at your service.

BIG SALE
O. G. CLARK & CO. ANNOUNCE A SALE OF
150 High Grade
Springing Guernsey Cows and Heifers
At West Salem, Wis.
Thursday, December 13, 1923
Cattle are large, young and sound. Tuberculin tested and ready for shipment into any state. Fill your barns up with good cows for the winter. Be on hand.
O. G. Clark, Auctioneer. H. W. Griswold, Sales Mgr.

INTEREST CENTERS ON STATE SHOW

EXPOSITION AT MILWAUKEE TO ATTRACT MANY

All State Products To Be Grouped In Cream City Hall December 1-8

THE Second Annual Wisconsin Products exposition, a unique effort in cooperative state marketing, will be held at the Milwaukee auditorium Dec. 1 to 8 inclusive. The exposition is of such nature that it should command the attention and active support of every resident of Wisconsin.

A total of 41 business and farm organizations and state government and university departments are joining this year to sponsor and actively support the exposition, which has for its object the pooling of interests of the various producing factors, to promote better cooperation and to increase the market for Wisconsin products.

The idea for the exposition was conceived early in 1922, when members of various farm groups began to discuss plans for an annual "Mid-Winter Show" at the Milwaukee auditorium. At that time business organizations, namely the Wisconsin Manufacturers' association, Bankers' association, the Milwaukee Association of Commerce and others broached the proposition that an exposition be held in which all could join forces and put their shoulders to the wheel to boost Wisconsin.

The large attendance and outstanding success of the first exposition demonstrated conclusively that the idea of a "Mid-Winter Fair" had met with a hearty response, and this year's exposition is certain to achieve even greater distinction.

See State in Hours

Not only is the exposition of great educational value in that it puts under one roof virtually all of the products of Wisconsin, which can be seen in a two-hour tour of the big building, but elaborate entertainment features will be offered this year which should be in themselves sufficient to attract large crowds from Milwaukee and the rest of the state.

The big feature of the entertainment will be a huge hippodrome performance rivaling the original New York show, which attracted hundreds of thousands of visitors. Chief among the acts will be living pictures of historical events in Wisconsin history, an elaborate ballet and historical spectacles participated in by various nationalities, together with a big 50 piece orchestra.

The first exposition last year drew an attendance of more than 70,000 during the seven days it was conducted, and so impressed were the visitors, that most of them signed space for the 1923 show.

The managers of this year's exposition are E. C. Foster, managing director, and John E. Miller, director of exhibition. Mr. Foster and Mr. Miller are also in charge of the annual exposition and convention of the American Mining congress.

Many Take Part

The representative character of the exposition is indicated in the personnel of the executive committee and the participating organizations.

The committee consists of Mr. Foster as chairman; Carl A. Johnson, president of the Wisconsin Manufacturers' association; E. A. Reddeman, president of the Wisconsin Bankers' association; Charles Hill, representing the dairy industry; A. L. Stone, a member of the executive committee of the Wisconsin Experiment association; John Le Feber, Milwaukee Association of Commerce; J. G. Milward, secretary of the Wisconsin Potato Growers' association.

The participating organizations are: American Society of Equity, College of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture, Department of Markets, Door County Fruit Growers' union, Industrial Cooperative union, Milwaukee Association of Commerce, Northern Wisconsin Grain Growers' association, Wisconsin Aberdeen Angus Breeders' association, Wisconsin Accredited Hatchery association, Wisconsin Ayrshire Breeders' association, Wisconsin Bankers' association, Wisconsin Beekeepers' association, Wisconsin Berkshire Breeders' association, Wisconsin Brown Swiss Breeders' association, Wisconsin Buttermakers' association, Wisconsin Cheese Producers' federation, Wisconsin Cheesemakers' association, Wisconsin Chester White Breeders association, Wisconsin Co-Operative Creameries association, Wisconsin Cranberry Growers' association, Wisconsin Dairymen's association, Wisconsin Duroc Jersey Breeders' association, Wisconsin Experiment association, Wisconsin Farm bureau, Wisconsin Hampshire Swine association, Wisconsin Hereford Breeders association, Wisconsin Holstein Breeders' association, Wisconsin Horse Breeders' association, Wisconsin Horticultural society, Wisconsin-Illinois Guernsey Breeders' association, Wisconsin Jersey Breeders' association, Wisconsin Manufacturers' association, Wisconsin Pea Packers' association, Wisconsin Poland China Breeders' association, Wisconsin Potato Growers' association, Wisconsin Red Polled Breeders association, Wisconsin Sheep Breeders association, Wisconsin State Poultry Breeders' association, Wisconsin Tobacco Growers' association, Wisconsin Wool Growers' association.

Fir Tree Spirits And Their Prince

It certainly looks as though the girls were glad to see the young gentleman, doesn't it? Well they are, for they are the spirits of the Fir Trees, and he is their Prince, as you will see if you visit the Milwaukee Auditorium Dec. 1 to 8. The picture shows Alexis Kerenoff as the Fir Prince in Kenneth M. Ellis' ballet, "Silvershoes", which is being produced under the direction of Lucille Stoddart as a feature of the Wisconsin Products exposition. The Fir Spirits are, from left to right, Dorothy Smith, Florence Shaw, Gladys Siehr, Estelle Shon, Marian Sinar, Emily Heiss and Marian Mason.

FARM AND BUSINESS LEADERS BACK MOVE

Combining Of All Products In Huge Exposition Called State's Most Constructive Act

Many business and agricultural leaders throughout Wisconsin have endorsed the Wisconsin Products exposition.

These men regard the exposition as one of the most constructive movements in the history of the state, offering as it does, an unusual opportunity to advertise Wisconsin products to the state and the the wrld, to create a great rading mart, and to bring about better cooperation between the various producing factors.

Aims and objects of the exposition are such, according to statements made by these leaders that the exposition should command the support of every resident of the state.

Some of the typical statements received follow:—

J. D. Jones, Jr., commissioner Wisconsin Department of Agriculture: "The Wisconsin Products exposition should have a particular significance to every one who is interested in our splendid commonwealth. Few there are who have an adequate conception of the scope and extent of the agricultural, commercial and industrial activities carried on by the state.

Prof. R. A. Moore, University of Wisconsin, College or Agriculture: "In behalf of the farm crops and farm crop products of Wisconsin, I wish to state that the Wisconsin Experiment association and allied organizations connected therewith appreciate very highly the work put forth by the Wisconsin Products exposition in behalf of the efforts to bring forcibly to the notice of other states the merits of pedigree seed grains and highly bred farm crops.

Edward Nordman, commissioner of Wisconsin Department of Markets: "Preparations are going forward for making this exposition a bigger and a better affair than it was even last year, when it was generally conceded to have been one of the largest and most useful expositions of its kind in America. No pains will be spared to make this show directly representative of the varied industries that have made their home within the boundaries of our state.

Ex-Gov. E. L. Philipp, president Milwaukee Association of Commerce: "I heartily endorse the Wisconsin Products exposition. It is well for the people of our state to know what we are actually doing. Wisconsin's products are much diversified and no doubt there are many people who have not had an opportunity to see many of the products that are produced in this state, excepting those in which they are personally interested. We have long ago ceased to be a 'one crop' state. That fact is responsible for Wisconsin's exceptional success in agriculture.

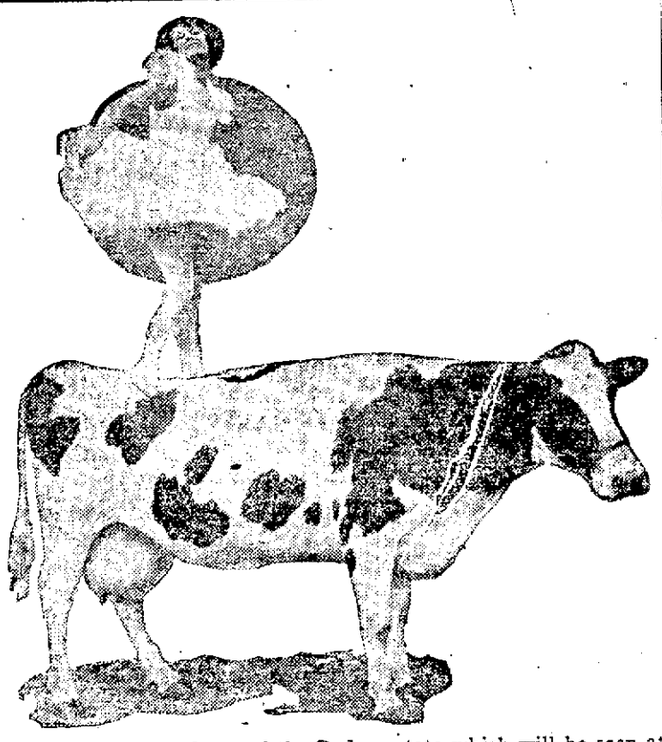
FOREIGN COUNTRIES TO BE REPRESENTED

On invitation of Gov. John J. Blaine a large delegation will be sent by governors from other states according to information received by the Wisconsin governor.

Among those who have signified their intention of sending delegates are Gov. Len Small of Illinois, Gov. Arthur M. Hyde of Missouri Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York, Gov. J. A. O. Preus of Minnesota and Gov. E. F. Morgan of West Virginia.

Many ministers of foreign governments have expressed their desire to attend or to send representatives. The Panama minister, the Finnish legation, the French legation, M. Tasmados, Greek minister, and Marquis Eadon, consul for the kingdom of Bulgaria, have already agreed to be represented at the state event.

Two Wisconsin Products



Here are two products of the Badger state which will be seen at the Wisconsin Products exposition to be held in the Milwaukee Auditorium Dec. 1 to 8. One is Miss Grace Jacobson of Milwaukee who will be seen in the ballet spectacle "Silvershoes" which will have a cast of seventy dancers. The other is Pabst Pontiac Aggie, $50,000 Holstein. Just to show that it could be done Miss Jacobson did a few steps of a ballet on Aggie's broad back.

Aid To Every Branch Of Production Is Expo Aim

THE purposes of the Wisconsin Products exposition as set forth by the executive committee representative of 4 state organizations and university and state departments are as follows:

To bring to the residents of cities a better understanding of the farms of Wisconsin, their products and their problems.

To carry to the farmer a better understanding of the industrial products of Wisconsin manufacturers—and the problems they too have to meet.

To improve the marketing methods of both.

To set before the entire nation—through publicity, the "quality" products of Wisconsin farmers and Wisconsin manufacturers—a quality second to none in the world.

To bring to the attention of all citizens the cooperation and inspiration provided by the various Wisconsin state departments identified with the development of farm and industry.

TWO CHILDREN FROM EACH COUNTY TO BE MILWAUKEE VISITORS

A total of 142 Wisconsin school children—one boy and one girl from each county—are to be guests of the Wisconsin Products exposition for one of the days of its duration, Dec. 2 to 8, with all expenses paid.

These children, students of the 7th, 8 and 9th grades, will be writers of essays on the subject, "My Best Opportunities are in Wisconsin." As one of the objects of the exposition is to bring before the younger generation the fact that Wisconsin is a great state of unlimited opportunities in industrial and agricultural fields, this contest was decided upon as one of the most forceful educational steps which could be devised.

There are 308,038 persons engaged in agriculture in Wisconsin. See Wisconsin Products Exposition, Milwaukee Auditorium, Dec. 2 to 8.

RESIDENT OF STATE FOR 90 YEARS WILL ATTEND EXPOSITION

One of the unusual features of the Wisconsin Products exposition will be the presence of the oldest resident of Wisconsin—the pioneer of the Badger state's pioneers—John Prisk, Mineral Point.

Mr. Prisk was selected as the oldest resident, following a state-wide search in which scores of nominations were received. Mr. Prisk is not the oldest in point of years, but he was found to have been in Wisconsin the longest time. He was born in what is now Mineral Point in 1833 and has been in Wisconsin ever since. That was 15 years before Wisconsin became a state. At that time land grants were just being made to the Wisconsin territory by the Indians, Milwaukee, Green Bay and other points were trading posts. The only means of transportation was over Indian trails. Not even the stage coach had arrived.

FARM AND SHOP BOOSTING STATE AMONG LEADERS

Census Figures Show That Wisconsin Has Varied High Per Capita Production

THE census of 1920 shows that Wisconsin is the 25th state in the union in land area and the 13th state in population. Almost exactly 2.5 percent of the total population of the United States is in Wisconsin. Both in agriculture and in manufactures, however, Wisconsin holds a higher rank than might be expected from its population. In the gross value of its farm products Wisconsin ranks ninth among the states of the union. As compared with 2.5 percent of the total population, Wisconsin has 3.5 percent of the gross value of farm product. In the value of manufactured product Wisconsin ranks 10th and has nearly 3 percent of the total production.

In population Wisconsin did not increase quite as rapidly between 1910 and 1920 as did the United States as a whole. Its increase during this decade was 12.8 percent as compared with 14.9 percent for the entire United States. The gross value of farm products of Wisconsin, however, increased 191.7 percent in the 10 years, as compared with an increase of 152.3 percent for the country as a whole. In the value of manufactured products the increase was 212.9 percent between 1909 and 1919 and 165.4 percent between 1914 and 1919. In comparison, the increase of the value of manufactured products for the country as a whole between 1914 and 1919 was 157.5 percent.

Leading Dairy State

Wisconsin is the leading dairy state of the union. It ranks first in the number of dairy cattle, in the number of gallons of milk produced and in the value of dairy products. Yet the farm crops of Wisconsin are at least equal in value to its dairy products. The census gives the value of all farm crops in Wisconsin in 1919 as being in excess of $445,000,000, while the total for dairy products is given as only $180,000,000. This latter figure, however, does not include the value of animals sold and slaughtered nr the value of the milk and cream consumed on the farms. In many farm crops Wisconsin's rank is very high, indeed. It is the first state in the union in silage crops, and it produced more than half of all the green peas raised anywhere in the United States. It is the second state in the production of hay, forage, potatoes and of cabbage, and ranks fourth in the production of oats, barley and rye.

According to the last census the value of the manufactured products of Wisconsin in 1919 reached the great total of $1,847,000,000. In the percentage of increase in manufactures during the period, 1914 to 1919, Wisconsin outstripped such great industrial states as New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Missouri, Connecticut and Minnesota. In fact its rate of increase was exceeded only by the states in which the automobile industry has centered—Michigan, Ohio and Indiana—and by a few of the far western states.

Many Industries

Wisconsin led all states in the union in the combined value of butter, cheese, and condensed milk and it produced more than 60 percent of all the canned peas and more than 75 percent of all cheese. It ranked first, also, in the production of concrete mixers with 45 percent of the total output; in hemlock, birch, elm and basswood lumber; in planing wood machinery, in traction engines and in universal lathes. Wisconsin ranked second among all states in the value of engines of all kinds produced and first in the number of wage earners. It ranks second also in agricultural implements, cream separators and dairymen's supplies, internal combustion engines, milling machines, maple lumber, refrigerating machinery and saw mill machinery. Wisconsin ranked third in the production of steam engines and windmills; fourth in paper and wood pulp, pneumatic automobile tires, wood-boxes and wooden packing and leather working machinery other than shoe machines. Other manufactured products which show a high ranking for Wisconsin include rubber products, and brass, bronze and copper products, in both of which Wisconsin ranks seventh; lumber products in which it ranks eighth; soap, ninth; machine tools and other metal working machinery, ninth; and electrical machinery and apparatus, tenth.

In mining and quarrying, Wisconsin ranks only 31st among the states of the union. It is, however, the fourth state in the production of granite, the fifth state in the production of iron ore and the sixth state in the production of lead and zinc.

NATIVE INDIANS TO ENTERTAIN GUESTS

One of the features of the Wisconsin Products exposition will be an encampment of 20 native Wisconsin Indians who will depict their customs and occupation. The Indians will be on the mezzanine floor, adjacent to that part of the big panorama encircling the arena, which shows outdoor Wisconsin—the forest, streams and wild life.

BOOSTING WISCONSIN

THE possibilities of a Wisconsin Products Exposition were amply demonstrated at the first event of this kind held last year in the Milwaukee auditorium.

This year 41 business and farm organizations and state and university departments are again uniting in a great cooperative marketing venture. The objects are to advertise to the world the quality products of Wisconsin, to broaden markets for Badger products, and possibly most important of all, to bring the producing factors into closer cooperation and to make for a better understanding.

These objects should command the attention and support of every producer, every citizen of Wisconsin. Successful consumation of these objects will redound to the benefit of every resident of the Badger state. Already other states have become interested in this new form of the "Wisconsin Idea" and the time may come when every commonwealth in the union will hold an annual exposition of this kind to set forth its achievements and resources.

Offering, as it does, an opportunity for the business man and the farmer to put their shoulders to the wheel together, the exposition presents an unlimited opportunity for a more friendly feeling and for great economic benefits to both.

Another important aim of the exposition is along educational lines. It is hoped to bring before the younger generation, students in the universities, high schools and grades, the unlimited opportunities which are offered in Wisconsin, an empire which is just beginning its real development. More than two billion dollars are represented in the annual output of Wisconsin's farms and factories. That is more than the output of the entire country at a not so far distant stage in our history.

Too often the idea becomes imbued in the minds of our children that their opportunities are in the East or in the West, rather than in their own state. The exposition will do much to prove that idea to be a fallacy.

A trip through the Wisconsin Products exposition will be in the nature of a trip through Wisconsin. Virtually every product of which the state boasts will be on display. They will be arranged according to their importance from the standpoint of value of output. Facts and figures will be placarded. Scores of machines will be shown in actual operation. Attendants will be present to explain every process to those who are interested. What an opportunity for the student or for any citizen of the state, for that matter, to learn of Wisconsin's opportunities and achievements!

All together, now, to boost the Wisconsin Products exposition. That should be the slogan of the state from now until December 1.

Prize Poster And Designer

The above illustration shows Elmer O. Tetzlaff and his first prize poster. The winning poster shows an allegorical figure holding forth products of Wisconsin in a great market basket. In the background are farm scenes, factories and the tower of the Milwaukee City Hall, as exemplifying city life. The color scheme is black, purple and green.

LIVING PICTURES TO SHOW STATE HISTORY

One of the most interesting entertainment programs at the Wisconsin Products exposition will be a series of living pictures of historical events of Wisconsin under the direction of the Wisconsin Players and the extension division of the University of Wisconsin.

Among the scenes to be depicted are "The Landing of Nicolet;" "The Coming of the First White Trader;" "The Coming of Father Marquette;" "The Signing of the Act Making Wisconsin a State;" "Civil War Days" and several others.

In addition, various nationalities will put on spectacles showing the part played by them in the development of the commonwealth of Wisconsin.

START JUDGING AT ILLINOIS STOCK SHOW

CHICAGO, Ill.—The task of selecting prize winning animals from among the 11,000 blue-blooded entrants in the Illinois Livestock exposition here, begins Monday. Judging is to continue throughout the week.

William Reid, British cattle expert, will select the grand champion steer of the show from the largest class ever entered. Shorthorn breeding cattle, Percheron and Shire horses and car loads of sheep and swine are also to be judged today.

Parades of prizes winning cattle and heavy horses are to be a nightly feature of the show commencing tonight.

Edith Wharton has been promoted to be an officer of the French Legion of Honor.

MOVIES

STRAND TODAY

While other girls with straight hair were moaning because it is not curly and spending money to have it marcelled and permanent-waved, Marion Davies was spending an hour every day oiling and brushing her locks in order to take out the beautiful wave.

As "Pat" O'Day in her new Cosmopolitan picture, "Little Old New York," which will be shown at the Strand theatre today and Tuesday, Miss Davies appears as a young boy. She had her blonde hair cut in a short bob. To make her appear even more boyish she insisted on its being perfectly straight.

"TEA WITH A KICK"

"Tea—with a Kick!" proved to be as spicy as the name suggests, when shown yesterday for the first time at the Rivoli theater.

A photoplay announced as having a cast of twenty-seven stars, "Tea—with a Kick!" lived up to the assertion, for seldom have we seen such a brilliant array of screen talent.

Doris May, Creighton Hale, Dale Fuller, Stuart Holmes, Zasu Pitts, Ralph Lewis, Dot Farley and Louise Fazenda are but a few of the well known people seen in the production. It is a satire on the prohibition question, and like a true satire, takes no sides.

CASINO THEATRE

"A little pale rose with a crimson heart." That was Marie Corelli's description of her heroine in "Thelma," her classic romance of the Norseland and in Chester Bennett's screen version of the famous tale, Jane Novak, as the star, is the perfect embodiment of the character known to millions of readers throughout the world.

As romance is the basis of happiness, romance is by all odds the most popular species of entertainment today and the spectacular and charming picturization of "Thelma" will thrill hundreds of theatregoers at the Casino theatre where it will be shown for an engagement of two days.

"Thelma" is a triumph for Jane Novak. For the many admirers of Miss Novak it will be welcome news that she appears in brilliant gowns fashioned by the greatest modistes of this country and Europe.

"FLAMING YOUTH"

Tense drama, charming romance, sprightly comedy on a background of "Flapperism" and "Jazz." This is the picture which is painted by "Flaming Youth," which opened last night at the Majestic theater for a seven days' showing.

The play can, in a way, be considered an expose of modern society life and yet it is more than that for it tells an absorbing dramatic and romantic story, centering for the most part around a young girl who is brought up in an atmosphere of unconventional frivolity.

Colleen Moore is charming as the naive young adventuress and Milton Sills is admirable in the role of the one lover, among the several admirers, whose love finally restores Patricia to a saner viewpoint of life.

"COVERED WAGON"

"The Covered Wagon," which comes to the La Crosse Theatre for an engagement of seven days only commencing Sunday matinee, December 9, is a photo-spectacle of large dimensions and high pictorial quality, of the journey westward of the pioneers of the forties and the fifties to Oregon and California. The wagon train assembles, moves, camps. Perils by flood, perils by fire, perils by Indians beset it. It courses prairie under sun and over snow. It bivouacs by river bank and in gully. It halts in straggling fort among free but hard-living scouts. At length, with prayer and hymn, it turns the sod of the promised land. Epic, indeed, of the western conquest by wheel and plough, an epic brought to the screen with imagination, truth, skill and pictorial power.

Be where the people are shopping every day from now until Christmas, at

SPURGEON'S.

Big Booster Bazaar
Knights of Pythias
Clinton and Avon Streets
Dec. 5th to 8th.

JUMBO PEANUTS
We roast 'em every day.
5c bags; 25c a pound.
BODEGA CLUB

97 WIS. ST. MILWAUKEE PATENTS BRANCH OFFICE WASHINGTON D.C.
YOUNG AND YOUNG

COOPER'S Strand
LAST TWO DAYS
Prices: 10c and 50c—Plus tax.
Your last chance to see the greatest production of all times.

When America was young—
A beautiful drama of the most picturesque period of American history.

To see this great romance is to add an unforgettable memory to your storehouse of treasured pictures.

COSMOPOLITAN CORPORATION PRESENTS
MARION DAVIES
in Little Old NEW YORK

RIVOLI
TODAY and TUESDAY
PRICES
Matinee, 10c and 30c.
Night, 10c and 50c.
Plus tax.
BARGAIN NIGHTS
Tonight and Tuesday
TWO LADIES
Admitted for Price of One.

Classy SUPREME *Orpheum*
VAUDEVILLE

ARTISTIC SUPERB SOLOISTS
THE FOUR SONG BIRDS
in "Harmony Land"

A BIG TIME COMEDY FEATURE
GENE OLIVER TRIO
"Funny Face and Pals"

THAT POPULAR COMEDIAN
FRANK BUSH, the American Story Teller

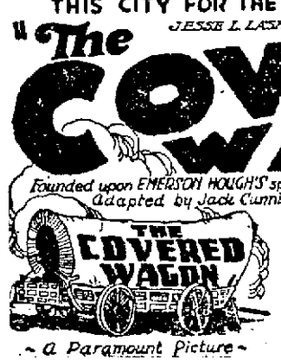
WESLEY and CECELIA
the Juggler and Dancing Girl

AND THE BIG SURPRISE PICTURE

Served in Great Style.
Beautiful Girls — Wondrous Gowns — Extreme Lavishness—Much Kick!
Doris May, Creighton Hale, Ralph Lewis, Stuart Holmes, Louise Fazenda, Zasu Pitts, and
10 Prize Winning Beauties
100 Hollywood Heartbreakers

LA CROSSE THEATRE
→ *7 DAYS* Starting SUNDAY DEC. 9
TWICE EVERY DAY THEREAFTER
2:30 and 8:30 P. M.
Nights, $1.00, $1.50. Daily Matinee, 50c, 75c, $1.00

THIS IS THE ONLY AND EXCLUSIVE ENGAGEMENT OF "THE COVERED WAGON" TO BE PLAYED IN THIS CITY FOR THE SEASON OF 1923-1924
JESSE L. LASKY presents
"The COVERED WAGON"
Founded upon EMERSON HOUGH'S splendid story of love on the Oregon trail ~ Adapted by Jack Cunningham ~ Directed by James Cruze ~



"I sat entranced. There was more than the picturesque—more than sorrow and disappointment—more than appealing character and enthralling heroism. * * * Everywhere aflame was the soul of unalterable purpose and the commanding sturdiness of elemental greatness."—From President Harding's speech to the Pioneers of the Oregon Trail at Meacham, Ore., July 3, 1923.

~ a Paramount Picture ~

RIVIERA
North La Crosse.
Tonight and Tuesday
BARGAIN NIGHTS
George Arliss
Noted Stage Star, in
"The Devil"
This was George Arliss' greatest stage play. A wonderful screen production.
—AND—
"The Kick-Out"
A 2-Reel Mermaid Comedy
TWO grown people for ONE admission on Mondays and Tuesdays.
Country Store on Friday Night.

MAJESTIC
Mat. 2:15, 10c, 20c, 30c.
Night, 10c, 30c, 40c.
Plus Tax
A PICTURE THAT SET THE TOWN ABLAZE WITH ITS FLAMING BREATH OF MANY LOVES

WANT ADS

Classified WANT AD. RATES

Under any classification 1½ cents per word for each insertion. No single insertion for less than twenty-five cents.

A MONTHLY RATE of $1.50 per line per month is made on standing ads. Nothing less than three lines accepted under this rate.

All orders to discontinue advertisements must be made in writing or personal call at the office. The Tribune and Leader-Press will not be responsible for telephone cancellations.

The Tribune and Leader-Press will not be responsible for more than the first incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS for the Sunday Tribune and Leader-Press will be accepted for classification up to eight o'clock Saturday night.

TELEPHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADS when it is more convenient to you and as this is an accommodation service the Tribune and Leader-Press expects payment promptly on receipt of bill.

Persons whose names do not appear in either the City Directory or Telephone Directory must send cash with their advertisements.

FRATERNAL NOTICES

C. O. F.

No. 895.

REGULAR MEETING MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 3rd at 8 o'clock.

WANTED—MALE HELP

OWN YOUR OWN BUSINESS WITHOUT ANY INVESTMENT [illegible] New York, N. Y.

LARGE sash and door manufacturing concern has [illegible] hands [illegible] sticker hand and other machine operators [illegible] 12 3 tf.

WANTED

Married men for steady positions in our fireproof factory. Good wages and steady work.

NORTHERN WOOD PRODUCTS CO. Glidden, Wis.

WANTED—A [illegible] 12 3 1

WANTED

Showcase Makers and Glaziers. Good wages. Must be first class workmen. No other need apply. Steady work.

SCHIEFER & SONS Cor. 8th and J Streets San Diego, Calif.

FOR RENT—[illegible] 12 3 1

WANTED

PLUMBERS STEAMFITTERS

Good wages. Steady work.

WENZEL & HENOCH COMPANY 468 27th Street, Milwaukee, Wis.

FIREMEN, [illegible]

WANTED

Finishing foreman and a Machine Room foreman. Must have experience. Steady work and good wages. No labor trouble.

SCHIEFER & SONS Cor. 8th and J Streets, San Diego, Calif.

BARBERING PAYS. [illegible] Write [illegible] Barber College, [illegible] E. Water, Milwaukee. 12 1 4

SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Salesman, large Chicago coffee roasters. Good territory, central western Wisconsin. G-660, Tribune. 12 2 4

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—[illegible] electric grill [illegible] vacuum cleaner [illegible] 12 3 5

FOR SALE—[illegible] 2 year old Holstein [illegible] 11 27 12 10

[illegible]

FOR SALE—Red baby buggy, cheap. [illegible] 12 2 3

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, 1167 Winnebago. 11 29 12 5

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—Refined, educated woman who would like to enter a business of her own where there is no overhead expense, rent or investment in merchandise and where very attractive income is assured. Give phone number in your reply. Address O-671, care of Tribune. 12 3 3

LARGE EASTERN manufacturer of surgical garments desires to employ refined woman to represent them in La Crosse. Work mostly with physicians. Very attractive income. Give phone number in your reply. Address P-672, care of Tribune. 12 3 3

AN EXCEPTIONAL opening those desiring plain home sewing. No canvassing. City; country. To prevent curiosity seekers send twelve cents for sample, information. Good Wear Cloth Co., Inc., Asbury Park, N. J. 12 2 Sun 12 30

WANTED—Competent clean and neat girl for general housework, over 18. Good home. Steady work. Wages $15.00. Address Mrs. A. E. Oswald, Munising, Mich. 11 27 12 4

WANTED—Young lady clerk, single, neat, ambitious. No phone calls. Appear in person. M. Erickson Bakery Co. 12 3 4

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Small family. Mrs. W. A. Thompson, 461 So. 11th. Phone 679. 12 1 3

CANVASSERS wanted. Part or full time for holiday goods. Big commissions. Phone 1068-M. 12 3 9

WANTED—Lady cook. Inquire John J. Grier C. B. and Q. Lunch Room, Grand Crossing. 12 1 3

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework. Mrs. H. J. Hirshheimer. Phone 769-C. 11 30 12 6

WANTED—Nurse girl for a few evenings each week. Call 2801-Green afternoons. 12 3 3

HOUSEKEEPER on farm, by middle aged widower. Address J-666, Tribune. 11 30 12 1

CHAMBERMAID wanted. [illegible] hotel. 12 1 3

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—All modern new seven-room house. 347 So. 23rd. Phone 2621-J. 11 17 1mo

ALL MODERN 8-room house. 720 No. 17th St. 11 28 12 4

FOR SALE—FARMS

FOR SALE—160 acres, 3 miles from [illegible] Prairie [illegible] plow, balance timber and pasture [illegible] artesian well [illegible] 812 King St. 12 1 3

FOR SALE—Eighty acre farm fully equipped, or will trade for city residence, business property or small stock of merchandise. Write what you have and price. Write H-665, care Tribune. 12 2 5

[illegible] ACRES of land. Will trade for city property or automobile. Call evenings at 111 No. [illegible] St. 12 3 3

FOR RENT—ROOMS

TO RENT—Comfortable room next to bath, always hot water. Also garage [illegible] No other roomers. Call at 327 [illegible] 6th St. Lower flat (mornings) or phone 1066-A. Gent or couple preferred. 12 1 3

FOR RENT—Parlor, bedroom, bath. [illegible] gentlemen preferred. Also light housekeeping apartment. Both modern, completely furnished. Phone 368-M. 12 2 5

NEWLY and neatly furnished rooms, well lighted and heated. Good location. Gentlemen preferred. 908 Vine street. 12 1 3

LARGE front sleeping room. Suitable for two. Over Smale's Dairy Store, 211½ So. 5th. 12 3 4

[illegible] modern furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1627 Avon. Phone 1804-R. 12 2 4

FURNISHED front room, city heat, [illegible] 222 So. 4th. 12 3 9

Room with or without board. Gentlemen preferred. 811 Vine. 12 3 5

TWO LIGHT housekeeping rooms. [illegible] Call 1628-R. 12 3 5

FOR RENT—Furnished city heated room. 110 So. 9th St. 12 3 5

FURNISHED room, city heat, hot and cold water. [illegible] Main. 12 1 3

MODERN furnished room for rent. Gentlemen. 302 Pine St. 11 28 12 4

MODERN heated light housekeeping rooms. 320 Jay. 12 2 3

FOR RENT—Warm room with board. [illegible] 12 3 5

FURNISHED room. 324 W. Ave. So. Phone [illegible] 12 1 5

ALL MODERN small room. Gentlemen. [illegible] 11 27 12 3

MODERN furnished room for rent. 317 So. [illegible] 11 27 12 3

MODERN furnished room. 716 State St. 12 1 3

CITY HEATED rooms. 811 So. 5th. 12 2 4

MODERN room. 215 No. 6th. 12 3 5

Room. 621 State St. 12 1 3

For Rent—Houses and Flats

FOR RENT OR SALE, easy terms. Small house at 2606 Prospect street. Inquire Olson and Phillips, corner 2nd and [illegible] 61. 12 1 11

FOR RENT—Lower floor, 5-room modern except heat. Adults only. Inquire 611 Vine St. 12 1 3

FOR RENT—House, 802 Ferry. Inquire 801 Ferry. Phone 1854-A. 12 3 6

FOR RENT—5-room modern flat. Inquire upstairs. 1117 Market. 11 23 tf

FOR RENT—Heated flat, strictly modern, close in. 215 Pine St. 12 1 7

FIVE ROOM house. Adults. Light, water, [illegible] 406 So. Third. 12 3 9

EIGHT ROOM house for rent. Inquire 1366 [illegible] street. 11 29 12 4

MODERN house for rent. See [illegible] 212 So. 14th. 11 30 12 6

HOUSE—1620 W. Ave. So. Inquire next door south. 11 28 12 3

For Rent—Miscellaneous

FOR RENT—Very desirable retail location in center of retail district, Southern Wisconsin city 30,000, suitable for drug, jewelry, women's wear, gift shop, gent's furnishing, etc. For particulars address P. O. Box 301, Madison, Wis. 11 30 12 6

FOR RENT—Automobile dead storage for winter. Phone 478. 11 20 12 3

FOR RENT—Garage, 1426 State St. Call 1604-R. 12 1 2

FOR RENT—Garage, 1720 Cass St. 12 3 4

FOR RENT—Garage, 1503 State. 12 1 3

GARAGE for rent, 224 So. 11th. 12 1 3

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Basket containing canned goods, toy chairs, pocketbook containing money. Finder please return to 1629 [illegible] or phone 2788-C. Liberal reward. 12 3 4

LOST—Large gray angora male cat. Name Goodles. Children's pet. Mrs. Archie Mosher, 1623 Rose St. Phone [illegible] Reward. 12 3 5

LOST—A gold bracelet in or in front of the Arcade bowling alleys. Valued as keepsake only. Reward. Call 426. 12 3 5

LOST—$5 bill at Doerflinger's stocking department Friday. Phone 1204-R. Reward. 12 1 3

LOST—Tickets for Rivoli show and [illegible] Phone 2566-A. 12 2 6

LOST—Grey angora cat. Reward. Call 710-A. 12 1 3

LOST—Small fox [illegible] 2619 M. C. Reward. 12 2 5

Situation Wanted—Male

SALESMAN—Age [illegible] with car wishes position that will guarantee reasonable compensation. Will references. Write [illegible] Tribune. 12 3 4

MAN DESIRES position as clerk in gents furnishing or department store. Best of references furnished. Write V-680, Tribune. 12 1 3

WANTED—odd jobs taking care of furnaces, etc. Phone 326-Red evenings. 12 3 5

AUTOMOBILES

FROZEN RADIATORS, damaged fenders, bodies, gas tanks, repaired while you wait. Freeze proof Radiators for all makes of cars for sale. Badger Auto Radiator Works, 118 Pearl. Phone 288. 11 26 12 25

FOR SALE—1922 Willys Knight car and tires. Good condition. Will demonstrate. Price $750.00. Car insured for $850.00. Address N-670, care of Tribune. 12 2 4

FOR SALE—New Chevrolet sedan. Never been run. Cheap. Call J. G. Dubraks, 708 Clinton. Phone 1803-C or 1953-C. 11 29 12 5

STORAGE batteries charged and rented. Also stored for winter. Service Garage, 1821 Madison. Phone 2634-R. 12 1 3

1923 SPECIAL 6 Studebaker coupe. Run only 6,000 miles. A real buy for some one. Fox Bros. Buick Co. 11 21 tf

1923 NASH A REAL BARGAIN

Must be seen to be appreciated. Owner will sell for less than dealer's cost. Car now on display at

THE MUELLER-MORLEY COMPANY

113 No. 6th St. Phone 485.

FOR SALE—1920 Studebaker Special with winter top. Low price for cash. Address Q-674, Tribune. 12 1 3

SAXON roadster, good condition, for sale cheap. Call 617-M. 12 2 4

FOR SALE—Ford sedan. Can be seen at 412 Cass. 12 2 3

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Jobs. Washing windows, removing screens, putting on storm windows, cleaning yards and basements. Phone 2671-R. 11 28 12 3

ANNOUNCEMENT

On account of the fire in our Undertaking department, please call 133 for day calls and 175-3 rings or 1150-C for night calls.

TILLMAN BROS.

$10.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Poyer-Fisher Furniture Company. 7 3 tf

PAPER HANGING and painting. Bristow, 112½ State. Prices reasonable. 11 30 12 6

CHIMNEY and furnace cleaning. Repair work. Phone 1799-Black. 11 29 12 5

WANTED—Dressmaking. Home baking. Phone 1311-M. 11 30 12 6

TYPEWRITERS

UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITERS RENTED, sold and repaired. Special rental rate to students. Underwood Typewriter Co., 214 Rivoli Bldg. Phone 146. 11 21 1mo

WHY NOT rent typewriter? $2.50 mo. Special rates to students. Free service. Levy's, 305 Main. 11 27 12 26 1mo

WANT TO BUY

WANT TO BUY—Used clothing in good condition. Will pay reasonable cash price. Phone 1484-A. 11 25 1mo

WANTED TO BUY—Large soft coal heating stove. Address L-668, Tribune. 12 1 3

WANTED TO BUY—Used machinist tools. Call 177. 12 3 4

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. Fries-Niebuhr Agency, 309-312 Newburg Bldg. 10 17 tf

POULTRY AND PETS

GERMAN police puppies for sale at 2303 Mormon Coulee Rd. [illegible] 12 3 9

S. C. W. LEGHORN cockerels for sale. 1106 So. 7th St. Phone 1186-M. 12 1 4

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT FREIGHT RATES on household goods to the Pacific Coast and other points. For particulars write The Boyd Transfer & Storage Co., Minneapolis. 11 1 tf

Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper or clerk. Experience and references. Leta Hazen, Savanna, Ill. 12 1 cod

SITUATIONS wanted. Two girls want housework. Call 2268-C. 12 1 3

WANTED—Position as housekeeper. Phone 2685. 11 29 12 5

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice to Prove Will and Notice to Creditors

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County—In Probate.

In Re estate of Auguste Kusche, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, That at the special term of said court to be held on the third Tuesday, being the 18th day of December, A. D. 1923, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, County of La Crosse, and State of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered, the application of Mary A. Schroeder to admit to probate the last will and testament of Auguste Kusche, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased, and for the appointment of an executor, (or, administrator with will annexed);

Notice is hereby further given, That at the regular term of said court to be held at said Court House, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of April, A. D. 1924, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said Auguste Kusche, deceased;

And notice is hereby further given, That all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said County Court at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said county and state, on and day hereafter until the expiration of four months from date hereof or be barred.

Dated November 22, 1923.

By the Court:

JOHN BRINDLEY, Judge.

OTTO M. SCHLABACH, Attorney.

Notice of Application to County Court

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the 11th day of December, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered.

The application of A. V. Ingham, Administrator of the estate of Lula Louise Ingham, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such administrator and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same and for the determination of an inheritance tax, if any.

By order of the Court,

JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

OTTO M. SCHLABACH, Attorney.

Summons

State of Wisconsin, In Circuit Court, for La Crosse County.

William Losing, Plaintiff,

—vs—

Beth Losing, Defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, a copy of which is herewith served upon you.

ALBERT C. WOLFE, Plaintiff's Attorney.

P. O. Address: 215 State Bank Bldg., La Crosse, Wisconsin.

WANT TO RENT

WANTED

Two or three unfurnished rooms with heat, for light housekeeping, on South Side.

PHONE 1210-GREEN.

DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK—Liberty bonds at 1 p. m.:

3½s	99.30	Fourth 4¼s	98.5
First 4¼s	98.6	U. S. government 4¼s	99.16
Second 4¼s	98.5		
Third 4¼s	99.2		

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK—Stock prices displayed a strong tone at the opening of Monday's stock market, buying being influenced by the optimistic forecast for next year's business made by E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation. Studebaker and American Can touched new highs on the movement, the former gaining a point. Gains of a point or more also were registered by General Asphalt common and preferred, National Lead and American Linseed.

Buying of the foreign oils, particularly the General Asphalt issues, featured the early dealings. Du Pont advanced 1½ and Pan-American, Cuba Cane Sugar preferred, Cuban Dominican preferred, Coca Cola, Famous Players and Kelly Springfield each moved up a point or so. Union Pacific and Products and Refiners were among the few heavy spots. Foreign exchanges opened higher.

Higher prices brought forth a flood of offerings, which caused the market to become reactionary before noon. Baldwin, Davison Chemical and United States Cast Iron Pipe each dropped about 2½ points while American Can, Schulte, Royal Dutch, Producers and Pan-American yielded 1 to 1½. Previously the food, motor, motor accessory and foreign oil issues, together with a wide assortment of specialties, had advanced one to three points. New high records were established during the first hour by Kresge at 295, National Supply at 65½ and Computing, Tabulating and Recording at 85. Call money opened at five per cent.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO, Ill.—Although reports that Germany had completed negotiations for a new loan gave wheat values an upward tendency at the opening Monday, the market soon declined. Upturn in price met with aggressive selling, and there was a lack of adequate support from buyers. A sudden break in the corn market added to the weakness of wheat. After opening unchanged to ⅛c higher, December $1.04 to $1.04½ and May $1.09¾ to $1.10, wheat underwent a moderate general fall.

Subsequently a more friendly feeling toward the buying side was in evidence. On the ensuing advance May went above $1.10 for the first time in several weeks.

Selling on the part of houses with eastern connections put the corn market on the down grade, despite wet weather and smallness of receipts. The opening which varied from unchanged figures to ⅛c higher, May 74½, to 74⅝c, was followed by a sharp drop all around.

Helped by a big decrease of the United States visible supply total and by a reduction of winter crop acreage in Kansas, wheat scored a material advance in price Monday near the end of the board of trade session. The close was firm, ⅛ to ⅞ to ⅞c net higher, December $1.04⅞ to $1.05 and May $1.10⅝ to $1.10⅞.

Later the market rallied with wheat. The close was firm, at the same as Saturday's finish to ⅝c higher, May 74⅝ to 74¾c.

Oats held relatively firm in the absence of any decided pressure, starting unchanged to ⅛c higher, May 45⅛ to 45¼c and later yielding but little.

Provisions, although dull, were firm in line with the hog market.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec.	104	105	103½	104⅞
May	109¾	110¾	109¼	110⅝
July	108	108½	107½	108⅜
CORN—				
Dec.	73⅜	73⅝	72¾	73⅜
May	74½	74⅝	73½	74⅝
July	75½	75½	74⅝	75¼
OATS—				
Dec.	43⅜	43¾	42⅞	43⅜
May	45⅛	45¼	44⅞	45¼
July	43⅝	43⅝	43⅛	43⅜
PORK—				
Nov.				
RIBS—				
Jan.	11.80	11.85	11.80	11.82
May	....	....	....	11.85
LARD—				
Jan.	10.00	10.00	9.95	10.00
May	10.05	10.12	10.05	10.12

CASH GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Wheat—No. 1 $1.00 to [illegible] No. 2 hard, $1.07 to $1.07½.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 72¾c; No. 2 yellow, 73c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 44¼ to 46½c; No. 3 white, 43½ to 44½c.

Rye—No. 2, 69½c.

Barley—60 to 78c.

Timothy seed—$6.50 to $8.00.

Clover seed—$15.00 to $23.75.

Lard—$12.25.

Ribs—$9.37 to $10.37.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—United States Department of Agriculture—Hogs—Receipts 67,000, mostly 5 to 10c higher; bulk good and choice 210 to 325 pound butchers, $7.10 to $7.25; desirable 160 to 190 pound averages mostly $6.75 to $7.00; packing sows largely $6.60 to $6.85; weighty slaughter pigs mostly $6.00 to $6.25; heavyweight hogs, $7.05 to $7.30; medium, $6.95 to $7.30; light, $6.70 to $7.15; light lights, $6.00 to $6.90; packing sows, smooth, $6.60 to $6.90; packing sows, rough, $6.40 to $6.60; slaughter pigs, $5.25 to $6.25.

Cattle—Receipts 30,000; slow, uneven; fed steers, yearlings and fat she stock weak to 25c lower; weight fed steers and all grades fat she stock reflecting maximum decline; early top yearlings, $12.25; these sorted off show herd; several loads highly finished yearlings, $11.50 to $12.00; relatively short fed steers, $9.50 to $10.25; some plainer kind, $7.25 to $8.75; no shed stock in liberal supply, mostly short fed kind; highly finished cows and heifers scarce; part load about 1,000 pounds slow heifers early $11.00; bulls steady to strong; mostly $3.75 to $4.25; vealers and canners steady to weak; bulk vealers to packers $9.00 downward; few upward to $9.50 to outsiders; bulk canners, $2.50 to $2.65; western grass run very light; stockers and feeders mostly native descriptions in moderate demand at steady prices.

Sheep—Receipts 26,000 fat lambs fully 25c lower; sheep steady; feeding lambs strong to 25c higher; good and choice fat lambs mostly $12.50 to $12.75; scant held higher; cull natives mostly $8.50 to $11.00; choice lightweight fat ewes, $7.60; good to choice aged wethers, $8.25; several loads choice feeding lambs, $12.65.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Butter — Higher; receipts 7,839 tubs; creamery extras, 55¼c; standards, 54¼c; extra firsts, 50½ to 53c; firsts, 46 to 48c; seconds, 42½ to 43½c.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Poultry—Alive, higher; fowls, 14 to 21c; roosters, 12½c; springs, 19½c; geese, 19c; turkeys, 22c.

Eggs—Unchanged; receipts 2,559 cases; firsts, 44 to 47c; ordinary firsts, 35 to 40c.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flour unchanged; in car load lots, Family Patents quoted at $5.95 to $6.20 a barrel in 98-pound cotton sacks. Shipments, 55,979 barrels.

Bran—$26.00 to $27.00.

FRECKLES THE HIGHER THE LOWER BY BLOSSER

NEGRO HELD FOR BRUTAL MURDER OF YOUNG WIDOW

Traced by Pawning of Watch Identified as that of Victim

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—John Thomas Shaw, 24, negro, is being held here charged with the slaying of Mrs. Helen Welchel, attractive young widow, whose battered body was found last Wednesday lying between railroad tracks beneath a bridge from which it had been hurled.

The arrest of Shaw, who was taken in custody as he left a notorious underworld resort, was made through his pawning of Mrs. Welchel's watch. An automobile belonging to Shaw was found with seats and floor bloodstained.

Two other negroes and a negress also are being held. From the woman police recovered a diamond ring which was identified as the property of Mrs. Welchel.

Shaw, when arrested last night, denied the slaying of Mrs. Welchel and said the articles of jewelry were purchased by him from a white man. Under questioning he changed his story several times, the police said.

Police indicated it might be necessary to remove the negro from the jail because of the feeling which has been aroused over the slaying, said to have been one of the most brutal cases in police annals here.

FARMER-LABORITES ARE RECOGNIZED BY CONGRESS MONDAY

WASHINGTON. — The farmer-labor party received its first official recognition Monday in congress.

Magnus Johnson and Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota, who compose that partys' strength in the senate, marched to the desk of the president of the senate and took the oath of office.

Senator Brookhart, republican, Iowa, accompanied Senator Shipstead. Then Mr. Shipstead took over the ceremony of escorting Senator Johnson to the desk to be sworn in.

EARTH TREMBLER IS FELT AT NAGOYA, ISLAND OF HONDA

TOKIO.—By The Associated Press. —A sudden and severe earthquake shock which lasted forty seconds, was felt at Nayoga, 170 miles southwest of here, on the Island of Honda at 10:18 o'clock last night, according to advices received here. Residents of the city, which is one of the largest of the empire, were badly frightened by the trembler, but no damage has been reported.

SHEBOYGAN EDITOR DIES

SHEBOYGAN, Wis.—William C. Thomas, 64 publisher of the Daily Market Reporter and a nationally known cheese publicist, died at Sheboygan Falls Sunday.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Dull; receipts 73 cars; total United States shipments, 477;—Wisconsin sacked round whites United States No. 1 few sales, $1.00 to $1.10; Minnesota and North Dakota sacked Red River Ohios United States No. 1, few cars fancy, $1.10; Idaho sacked Russets United States No. 1, $1.75 to $1.95.

CABBAGE

MADISON, Wis.—United States Bureau of Markets—Cabbage—Racine, Wis.—Demand and movement good, market firm, car lots f. o. b., usual terms, bulk per ton, $19 to $20. Wisconsin shipped 45 cars during the past forty-eight hours. Rochester, N. Y.—Moderate wire inquiry demand and movement moderate, market slightly stronger; car lots f. o. b., usual terms, bulk per ton, $20 to $22.

Potatoes—Waupaca—Light wire inquiry, demand and movement slow, market dull, little change in prices. Few sales car lots, delivered freight only deducted, sacked round whites United States Grade No. 1, 75 cents; warehouse cash to growers, bulk round whites United States Grade No. 1, 50 cents; other Wisconsin points, 60 to 75 cents per cwt. Shipments—Wisconsin, 37; Minnesota, 32, Michigan, 45.

SEVEN-EIGHTHS OF WISCONSIN VETS DROP INSURANCE

WASHINGTON. — Approximately one-eighth of the men who served in the world war from Wisconsin have retained their war risk insurance, General Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans' Bureau announced.

On October 31 last, it was estimated by Gen. Hines the term and converted insurance in force for Wisconsin ex-service men was $76,150,254 and was carried by 14,731 men.

The estimated insurance in force on Wisconsin service men at the war peak was $1,015,146,000, carried by 116,104 men.

Strenuous efforts are being made throughout the country to awaken in the ex-service man a desire to protect their families and dependants with insurance. Gen. Hines has instructed his field force to see that each ex-service man has an opportunity to get information as to policies and rates and a chance to make application.

PICTURESQUE TOKIO TO BE REBUILT ON AMERICAN LINES

SAN FRANCISCO.—Much of the Oriental picturesqueness of the old streets of Tokio and Yokohama, which became lanes of debris as a result of the recent earthquake in Japan, will be lost through reconstruction of the two cities along strictly modern lines, according to Charles Beard, economist and member of the New York Municipal Research bureau, who has arrived here from Japan.

Mr. Beard was selected by Viscount Goto, Japanese home minister, to go to that country and form a commission to consider reconstruction problems. Virtually every late improvement found in American cities will be incorporated in the rebuilding program.

CHINESE CHOSEN MASTER OF LODGE OF HAWAII MASONS

HONOLULU.—By The Associated Press.—For the first time in history a full blooded Chinese has been elected to the highest office in an American lodge of Master Masons, with the elevation of Span Paul Lowe, a civil engineer of the Wailuku, Island of Kaui, to the post of worshipful master of Maui Lodge, No. 472. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois and of Stanford university. He is a thirty-second degree Mason and is a member of Aloha temple.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed

(A. Grams & Sons)

"Wingold" Flour, 98-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	$ 7.80
"Wingold" Flour, 49-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	8.00
"Wingold" Flour, 24½-pound paper sacks, per barrel	7.90
"Wingold" Flour, 12½-pound paper sacks, per barrel	8.10
"Wingold" Flour, 5-pound paper sacks, per barrel	8.70

Mill Feed

"Bay State" Bran, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	32.00
"Bay State" Std. Midds. in 100-pound sacks, per ton	32.00

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Miller-Rose Company)

Butter	51-52c
Eggs	59c

Fruits

Celery, per doz.	50-75c
Grapes, basket	37c
Grapes, Calif.	2.10
Prunes, crate	1.00
Calif. Valencia oranges	6.70
Cheese, Twins, pound	26½c
Cider, Clarified, hf. bbl.	5.50
Bananas, pound	9c
Lemons, per box	8.50-9.00
Cranberries, 50 lb. box	4.50
Cranberries, eastern, bbl.	11.00
Grape Fruit, per box	7.50
Pears, canning, bu.	1.50
Figs, per box	1.50
Dates, per lb.	9c
Dates, 36 pkg. Camel	3.50
Dates, 36 pkg. Droms	6.75
Apples, bbl.	3.00
Apples, bu.	1.00

Schams Bros.

Sheep	$3.00 to $4.00
Hogs	$5.00 to $6.25
Lambs	$7.00 to $9.00

Speeders run down walkers faster than cops run down speeders.

EXPECT TORIES TO HAVE BIG LEAD IN NEW BRITISH VOTE

Keen Competition for Votes of Women Marks House of Commons Campaign

LONDON. — By the Associated Press.—The conservatives, says the Daily Mail, estimate that the new house of commons will consist of 332 conservatives, 157 liberals, 120 laborites and six independents.

The laborites particularly took to the women to exercise the franchise as never before, but the organizers of each party have made special appeals to the women and have shown keen anxiety to get their support. How the thirty-four women candidates are likely to fare at the polls is a favorite topic of speculation. According to the political writer, Lady Astor is the only one whose return is regarded as in any way certain. This expert also thinks Mrs. Wintringham, who was the first woman to follow Lady Astor into the house of commons, is in a fair way to return.

Lady Terrington, liberal candidate in Wycombe, Buckinghamshire, has found time to tell the public how she intends to dress when she goes to parliament, if she does go.

"I intend to wear my best clothes," she asserted. "I will put on my fur coat and my pearls. I don't believe in a woman politician wearing a dull little frock with a Quakerish collar. That sort of thing is all humbug. Everybody knows I live in a large house and keep men servants and motor cars. It is sheer hypocrisy to pretend you have no nice things when you display them openly in your own home and when you make social appearances."

This was clearly a jibe at Lady Astor, who it is recalled, set the fashion for a demure and unobtrusive style of dress in the commons.

DEER SLAUGHTER IS CUT IN TWO

MADISON, Wis.—About half as many deer were killed in Wisconsin this year as compared with the preceding hunting season, it is indicated by reports received by the state conservation commission.

Up to Saturday night a total of 1,912 deer were reported killed and it is expected that but a few more reports will come in during the coming week. Last year about 4,000 deer were shot during the hunting season.

The north woods is said to hold the decaying carcasses of many animals that died after being wounded by hunters. The lack of snow made it impossible to trail the wounded animals.

Forest fires are said to have brought many Michigan deer into Wisconsin territory. The Wisconsin fires were mostly brush fires and did not disturb the deer to the extent that the timber fires of the neighboring state did.

Half a loaf is better than a whole. Loaf one week instead of two and you recover quicker.

DURANT

SEDAN LIKE NEW. THIS CAR IS IN A-1 CONDITION. MANY EXTRAS. WILL CONSIDER FORD COUPE OR SEDAN AS PART PAYMENT.

CALL EVENINGS.

A. O. NOREN

3rd and Winnebago. Fiedler Apts.

EXTRA EDITION!

Nothing Is Reserved

Greatest Buying Chance Ever Presented

Share in the Bargains

Clothing Prices Smashed

LOT NUMBER ONE

This lot comprises $27.50 to $35.00 Frat Men's suits in all wool fancy worsteds, blue serges, checks and stripes, all hand-tailored. Excellent fabrics in all sizes and so low in price, you will just have to pay this store a visit or you'll lose out on the greatest opportunity you ever had. Slaughter Sale Price at only ---------- **$12.75**

HURRY, FOLKS, HURRY!

TIME IS SHORT—the bargains are fleeting. YOU SKEPTIC—you unbeliever—you economical—to you I say, follow the CROWDS of "WISE ONES" to this

$47,000 CLOTHING SLAUGHTER

Never in the history of the clothing business has such a slaughter of prices been attempted before on a stock of high-grade, up-to-the-minute merchandise like this is. The prices herein quoted are only a SAMPLE of what savings are made possible at this gigantic Price Slaughter.

Yours for Dollar Saving, **FRASER.**

LOT NUMBER TWO

This lot comprises $30 to $40 Frat Men's Suits in all wool fancy worsteds, blue serges, checks and stripes, all hand-tailored. Excellent fabrics in all sizes and so low in price you will just have to pay this store a visit or you will lose out on the greatest opportunity you ever had. Slaughter Sale price at only ---------- **$16.75**

A Whirlwind of Prices for the Next Six Days---Don't Miss It!

LOT NUMBER THREE

This lot comprises $35 to $45 Frat and Hart, Schaffner & Marx fancy serges, unfinished worsteds, flannel, etc., in all colors. Checks and stripes in blue, gray, brown and black. Snappy stylish models for young men, more conservative cut for the older men, all are hand-tailored. This is the greatest opportunity the well dressed men in this vicinity ever had, sale price -- **$19.75**

LOT NUMBER FOUR

This lot comprises $45 to $55 Hart, Schaffner & Marx best grade men's suits in fancy serges, worsteds, flannel and tweeds in blue, black, gray, brown, checks and pencil stripes, all hand-tailored in the very best style. Come see them, they are beauties. There are no better suits made than in this lot. Formerly $45 to $55, Slaughter Price **$22.75**

LOT NUMBER FIVE

This lot comprises $30 to $35 Hart, Schaffner & Marx and Oregon Mill all wool Overcoats, in solid colors, grays, heather, blues and mingled shades, made in all sizes, belted and half-belted, full and yoke lined of medium, heavy weight materials. Formerly $30 to $35. Slaughter Price ----- **$16.75**

LOT NUMBER SIX

This lot comprises $40 to $45 Hart, Schaffner & Marx and Frat all wool, hand-tailored in best styles and fabrics, in solid colors, brown, tan, gray, blue and heather, combination belted and half-belted models, single and double breasted, some plain, straight backs, well dressed men will find a pleasing selection in this lot. Formerly $40.00 to $45.00, Slaughter Price ----- **$19.75**

LOT NUMBER SEVEN

This lot comprises $45 to $55 Hart, Schaffner & Marx and Rosenwald & Wiel overcoats, in all the latest colors, medium and heavy weight materials, half-belted and full-belted, full and yoke lined, all of the best hand-tailored, single and double breasted, some made up in regular seamless shoulders, etc. Come and see them, they are beauties. Formerly $45 to $55; Slaughter Price **$22.75**

LOT NO. 8
MEN'S HEAVY UNDERWEAR

One big lot of Duro best grade, heavy ribbed union suits, very warm and good looking suit, in all sizes, Formerly $4, Slaughter Price--- **$1.65**

LOT NO. 9
MEN'S HIGH GRADE CAPS

One big lot of the very best make high grade caps in the very latest styles and colors, they are beauties, come see them, all of them are new styles and colors for this winter wear, all sizes. Formerly $3.00 to $3.50---- **$2.25**

LOT NO. 10
ARROW COLLARS

One big lot of the very best grade Arrow soft collars in all the good patterns and styles, all sizes. Formerly 25c, 35c, 50c, Slaughter Price---- **9c**

LOT NO. 11
HELTH RAIN COATS

One lot of the very best grade all wool shels Helth rain coats, very stylish in half belted models very good colors in all sizes, come see them if you want a real classy coat. Formerly $35.00, Slaughter Price ---- **$9.75**

LOT NO. 12
MEN'S CAPS

One lot of very good grade of Men's caps in all the good colors, well made and good styles, all sizes. Formerly $2.50 and $3, now --- **$1.59**

LOT NO. 13
HIGH GRADE TIES

One big lot of the very best grade silk ties in all colors and patterns, come see them, they are beauties, all are in late styles and colors. Formerly $1.75 to $2.50, Slaughter Price **65c**

LOT NO. 14
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

One big lot of Arrow Shirts with collar attached, soft cuffs, in checks and plain colors, sizes 14 to 17. This is a lot of high grade shirts. Formerly $2.50 to $3, Slaughter Price---- **95c**

The value of this Price Slaughter will be lost to you—unless you are interested in merchandise of the highest type. You cannot equal the goods, you cannot equal the sacrifice—no matter how patiently you wait, find any sale which spans, as this sale does, THE TOPMOST PEAK OF QUALITY AND THE LOWEST RUNG OF PRICE.

WE ALL KNOW

the best advertising is the word of mouth advertising, and that is the reason so many of last week's customers have sent their friends to share in this unusual event. COME, we want to put our statements to the acid test, as there are bargains galore awaiting your choosing.

FREE RAILROAD FARE

Many of you come a long way and purchase bills amounting to, say, $25 or more. To those who do this, we offer you your railroad fare free to fifty miles. Of course, this means both ways. Be sure and bring your ticket or receipt.

No rebates will be made without this.

ALL RECORDS EXCEEDED

Our success in assembling real bargains for this big event has even exceeded all records of previous years. Now is the time when clothing you have been wanting and needing can be bought at prices much under what we would ordinarily have to pay.

LOT NO. 15
PARIS GARTERS

One big lot of Paris Garters in all colors. Formerly 35c, Slaughter Price— **18c**

LOT NO. 16
MEN'S SILK MUFFLERS

One big lot of very fine men's mufflers, in all colors, some silk and some silk and wool. Come and see them, they are beauties. Formerly $2 to $3, Slaughter Price— **95c**

LOT NO. 17
PAJAMAS, NIGHT SHIRTS

One big lot of high grade Faultless Pajamas and Night Shirts, in all sizes. None better made. Formerly $2.50, Slaughter Price— **$1.65**

LOT NO. 18
MEN'S KID GLOVES

One big lot of high grade Dempster & Place Kid Gloves. Fawn make, a very stylish and dressy glove, in tan colors, all sizes. Formerly $2.50 to $3.50, Slaughter Price— **$2.25**

LOT NO. 19
FLANNEL DRESS SHIRTS

One big lot of high grade Manhattan and Excello flannel dress shirts with collar band. Beautiful patterns in stripes, etc., a very dressy and up-to-date shirt for winter wear, all sizes Come see them. Formerly $5 to $7, Slaughter Price -- **$1.95**

LOT NO. 20
MEN'S SILK SHIRTS

One big lot of the very best grade tub silk shirts, Excello make, with collar band, beautiful up-to-date patterns in fine stripes, a very dressy shirt, in all sizes. Come see them, they are beauties. Formerly $7.00 to $7.50, Slaughter Price ----- **$3.95**

LOT NO. 21
FELT HATS

One lot of very good grade Felt Hats, good styles and colors, in all sizes. Made by Portis and Kleth. Formerly $2.50 to $3.50, Slaughter Price **95c**

LOT NO. 22
MEN'S SILK HOSE

One big lot of high grade Wilson Bros.' best grade pure silk Hose in black, blue, gray, brown and Cordovan colors, all sizes, a very good looking as well as good wearing hose. Formerly $1.00, Slaughter Price -------- **48c**

LOT NO. 23
MEN'S COTTON HOSE

One big lot of very good grade cotton Hose, very good looking and a good wearing hose, in all colors and sizes. Formerly 35c, now at -- **18c**

LOT NO. 24
MUNSING WEAR

One big lot of gray fleeced ribbed Union Suits, good winter weight, in all sizes, a very fine wearing and warm suit, in all sizes. Formerly $2.50, Slaughter Price ---------- **$1.95**

LOT NO. 25
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

One big lot of high grade Arrow and Excello make shirts, neck band style, with soft cuffs, in percale and madras stripe and check patterns, very good assortment of colors, sizes 14 to 17. Don't miss this. Formerly $2.50 to $3.00, Slaughter Price -------- **95c**

419 MAIN ST.

FRASER

Men's Clothier